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THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

THE CONDITION OF THE APPROPRIATION BILLS.

The Utah Bill Called up in the Senate—Senator Brown's Proposed Amendment—The Discussion on the Mexican Pension Bill—The McKinley Case in the House, Etc.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—In the senate, Mr. Sewell presented the joint resolution of the legislature of New Jersey, urging the passage of the pending bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue marine service.

Mr. Blair presented the resolution of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, now sitting at Philadelphia, favoring the passage by congress of the education bill recently passed by the senate.

A PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

Senator Ingalls reported from the committee on judiciary a substitute for the joint resolution introduced by Senator Jackson, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States in relation to the terms of office of the president and vice-president. The amendment provided for in the substitute is as follows:

Article 2. The executive power shall be vested in the president of the United States of America. The president and vice-president hereafter elected shall hold their offices for the term of six years, but the president shall not be re-eligible, nor shall the vice-president be eligible to the office of president, if he shall have exercised the same in case of a vacancy therein.

THE COURT OF ALABAMA CLAIMS.

Mr. Logan reported from the judiciary committee the bill heretofore passed by the senate extending until December 31st, 1884, the duration of the Alabama court of claims, with a recommendation that the senate non-concur in the house amendment extending the time one year longer.

Mr. Hoar moved that the bill be taken up at once, and that the senate concur in the amendment. He said the court had decided 1,150 cases in a year and a half, and there were 4,055 cases yet to be tried, and these could not be decided by December, 1884.

After some debate Mr. Bayand called the yeas and nays on Mr. Hale's motion, which resulted yeas 29, nays 19, so the senate concurred in the amendment of the house extending the the term of the court to December 31st, 1885.

Mr. Plumb, from the committee on public lands, reported favorably the bill to forfeit the unearned land grants of the Atlantic and Pacific railroad, and restore the same to settlement.

THE PENSION BILL.

The Utah bill came up as the regular order and Mr. Hoar proceeded to speak in advocacy of the bill. After speaking sometime, he yielded to enable the Mexican pensions bill to be taken up. The principal changes made by the pensions committee in the bill as it came from the house of representatives, are: First, in striking the clause that limits widows pensions to cases of widows who married before the soldier's discharge from the army, and permitting the payment of pensions to all Mexican soldiers' widows who have not remarried, and second, limiting the benefits of the act to persons who are dependent in whole or in part on their labor, or assistance from others for support.

Mr. Mitchell, chairman of the committee on pensions, explained the effect of the amendments, and said that if every soldier should be pensioned for service without regard to disabilities, the application of the rule to the surviving soldiers of the late war would involve the country in an expenditure of $100,000,000 annually. His opinion was that every man owed military duty to his country. The estimated number of Mexican soldiers now surviving was 36,000, and the bill gave a pension to all who had served even one day. He thought that those who did not need a pension ought to ask it.

Mr. Blair, alluding to the epithet pauper clause, which had been applied to one of the senate amendments, said he did not look upon poverty as a disgrace, and repelled the idea. He had heard it advanced that it was a degradation or a mark of pauperism in a man who had served his country to take a pension from the people of that country. He did not deem it wise, however, to establish a precedent that a man should receive a pension for service whether disabled or not. The expenditure which such policy would entail for the next fifty years would be enormous. He had the clerk to read the bill prepared by himself, providing for pensioning for service alone of all soldiers and sailors, such pension not to begin, however, till a period of twenty-five years after their discharge, and to be in addition to the regular pension for disability.

Mr. Logan moved to strike out that part of the amendment which, as he understood it, refused a man a pension unless he acknowledged himself to be a pauper.

Mr. Williams differed with Mr. Mitchell as to the wisdom of the principle on which the bill was based. It came from the house. It was a correct principle. The European policy was to keep enormous standing armies at great expense. The American to have small standing army but with a militia reserve of 10,000,000 of fighting men. The European policy also used the soldier up and then threw him out to starve. It should be the pride of America that its policy was different. The pension, however, should be a recognition of honorable distinction, not a badge of mendicancy. The words "poorhouse" and "pauper" were the most unwelcome words that an American ear could here. Mr. Williams reviewed some of the incidents of the Mexican war, eulogized the soldiers, characterized the war as one of great glory, not fought for plunder, and the army as the only one that in similar circumstances did not desolate the conquered territory.

Mr. Ingalls while not depreciating the merits of the Mexican veteran, could not agree with Mr. Williams as to the justice of the Mexican war. A more indefensible war of spoilition and robbery, he said, had never been waged against defenseless neighbors. It had been the result of the desire of a political party to extend the limits of slavery, and to aggrandize the slave holding power. Mr. Ingalls was not at all alarmed at the principle of giving pensions for service. He cited the action of congress with regard to all our former wars to show that the precedent had been set of pensioning, after the lapse of a certain time, for service alone, and without regard to disability, and he favored that principle. He would favor the pensioning of the soldiers of the late war after the expiration of a similar time. The precedent being in favor of this bill, the only question was whether the proper time had arrived. He thought it had.

Mr. Logan spoke in favor of his motion. He did not believe the estimates were correct, that the fixed number of Mexican veterans now living was 36,000. He thought the estimate must have been made large in order to defeat the bill. There could not be more than 12,000 now living. That was the estimate that was supported by the best evidence. If economy, and not merit, was to be the order of the day, senators had better wait till there were only one or two of the Mexican veterans living. There would be considerable money saved by that course. If a pension was to be given because it was right, it should be given now.

Mr. Maxey, supported Mr. Logan's amendment. He referred to the longevity of our Mexican soldiers, notwithstanding the destructive effects of that war on the health of our men. Our Mexican veterans, he said, are the most astonishing men that have lived since the days of Methusalah.

After further debate the matter went over till the conclusion of the morning business to-morrow, Mr. Cameron, of Wisconsin, saying, however, that he would insist on proceeding with the calendar at that hour.

AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR BROWN TO THE UTAH BILL.

Mr. Brown offered the following amendment to the Utah bill:

That the voluntary sexual intercourse of a married person with one of the opposite sex, not the husband or wife of such married person, shall be the cause, and the only cause, of absolute divorce from the bond of marriage in the District of Columbia or in the territories of the United States and any other place subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States, but the courts may, in proper cases of common law, grant divorces from bed and board in said district, territories or other places, subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States.

Adjourned.

THE WALLACE-MCKINLEY CASE.

The Case Argued and Passed Over for the Day—The Soldiers' Home.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—In the house on motion of Mr. Lonham, of Texas, the senate amendments were concurred in to the bill amending certain sections of the act creating the northern judicial district of Texas.

On motion of Mr. Rosecrans, a resolution was adopted authorizing the committee on military affairs to examine into the working and management of the national soldiers' home, to sit during the sessions of the home, and to send for persons and papers.

Under the call of the states, the following were introduced by Mr. Robinson, of New York, for the adoption of a standing rule of both houses of congress, prohibiting any member from receiving or giving any visit to any foreign agent or ambassador, or any person who avows himself to be an agent or ambassador, from any foreign country without permission of the house to which he belongs.

By Mr. Hewitt, of New York, to amend the act authorizing the formation of national banking associations. It provides that no president, cashier, teller, director, or other officer of any national bank shall procure for his own benefit or for the benefit of any copartnership association or company of which he is a member, any loan of money from the bank of which he is an officer. In case loss shall occur to the bank on account of any loan made contrary to the terms hereof, such officer shall be deemed guilty of embezzlement of the sum of money so lost to the bank, and on conviction shall be imprisoned not less than one year or more than five years, and fined in a sum equal to the amount of money embezzled.

On motion of Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee, the senate amendments to the agricultural appropriation bill were non-concurred in.

THE ELECTION CASE.

After the introduction of a number of bills under the call of states, Mr. Turner, of Georgia, called up the Ohio contested election case of Wallace vs. McKinley. The majority report unseats Mr. McKinley, and declares Mr. Wallace to be entitled to the seat; while the minority resolutions confirm the right of the sitting member.

Speeches were delivered by Messrs. Turner, of Georgia, and Adams, of New York, in support of the contestants' case, and by Messrs. Hepburn, of Iowa, Robertson, of Kentucky, and E. B. Taylor, of Ohio, in support of that of the contestee. The speeches were all well received, and though entering too much into detail to be of any special interest, were an able presentation of the respective sides of the question. Mr. Robertson is the only democrat member of the committee on elections who signed the minority report, and he appealed to his side of the house not to vote to unseat McKinley, as to do so they would have to vote contrary to law and the facts of the case. In the consideration of election cases, the law should be justice, and politics statesmanship. Pending further debate the matter went over for the present.

Mr. Belford, of Colorado, introduced a bill appropriating $500,000 for the erection of a home for disabled soldiers of the confederate army at Fredericksburg, Virginia. Referred. Adjourned.

THE LEGISLATIVE FORECAST.

The Condition of the Appropriation Bills—Matters of Issue Between the Houses.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—As soon as the Wallace-McKinley contest shall have been disposed of, there will be another struggle for precedence in behalf of sundry measures standing in the category of "unfinished business," and various long deferred "special orders," which were enumerated in last week's forecast. Representative Willis intends, however, to call up the river and harbor appropriation bill whenever the election contest is out of the way, and Mr. Randall says he will ask the house to enter upon the consideration of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill as soon as the river and harbor bill is disposed of. It is estimated that the latter will consume about three days. Some members favor limiting general debate upon it to six hours. It is possible that during the latter part of the week the sundry civil and fortification appropriation bills will be reported to the house. There will then be only one appropriation bill, namely, the general deficiency, to be prepared by the committee. Of the remainder of the thirteen annual appropriation bills, the pension, Indian, naval and postoffice have been passed by both house and senate, but the house having refused to concur in numerous amendments made by the senate, they were all referred to conference committees, and still await the adjustment of the points in controversy. More than one hundred amendments were added by the senate to the Indian appropriation bill. Prominent members of the house are of opinion that the conference committees will fail to agree on the Indian, naval and postoffice bills; that they will therefore be reported back to the house and senate without a conciliatory recommendation, and that a very long discussion of each bill will follow. The army, District of Columbia, and consular and diplomatic appropriation bills are yet to be considered by the senate committee on appropriations. Only two appropriation bills, viz.: the military academy and the agricultural have been finally passed by both houses and become laws.

Saturday next, by special order of the house, has been set apart for the consideration of bills and resolutions reported from the committee on Indian affairs. The senate is likely to consume the week in discussing the Utah bill, with the possibility that it may lay that measure temporarily aside if the appropriations committee reports back one of the three appropriations bills now under consideration by its sub-committee.

The Star to-night quoted Representave Hurd of Ohio as saying that an effort will certainly be made at this session to extend the free list by the addition of lumber and coal.

It is understood that Secretary Folger has written a letter to Representative Hewitt approving the administrative part of the latter's tariff bill. It is thought more than likely, therefore, that the changes in the present law provided for in that part of the bill will receive the sanction of the house.

TEXAS FOR TILDEN.

The Great State of the Southwest Comes In Line for the Old Ticket.

GALVESTON, Texas, May 26.—Three-fourths of the counties of the state held democratic conventions yesterday to select delegates to the state convention, at Fort Worth, on June 11th, to elect delegates to Chicago. Up to a late hour last night the Daily News had received returns from about forty counties. These indicate that the sentiment of the democracy of Texas is in favor of Tilden and Hendricks. The returns are nearly unanimous for the old ticket.

GRANT AND WARD.

AND THEIR DELICATE RELATIONS WITH MR. FISH.

The Threat of Mr. Fish to Publish General Grant's Letters Induces the General to Publish Them Himself—His Willingness to Make Money Out of His Name, Etc.

A New York correspondent to-day called upon Clarence Seward, counsel for General Grant, who had obtained copies of the correspondence between James D. Fish and General Grant, to which reference has been made. It was learned that prior to July 1st, 1882, Fish had sent the paper of Grant & Ward to the Lincoln bank with a note asking that the paper be discounted. President James being called upon by Seward, said that he answered the note of Fish as follows:

"LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK, New York, July 1, 1882.—My Dear Mr. President: I will submit your favor to the board of directors on Wednesday next. Will you kindly tell me whether you are a general partner in the house of Messrs. Grant & Ward?

"Very truly, T. L. JAMES."

James D. Fish, Esq.

James further said that Fish promptly answered the above note, but that he was unable to find the answer. He, however, stated that it was substantially in these words:

"My Dear Sir: In answer to inquiry, I have to say that both General Grant and myself are now general partners in the firm of Grant & Ward. We were originally special partners, but by a recent arrangement we have both become general partners. Yours truly,"

"JAMES D. FISH."

On the 5th of July, Fish wrote a letter to General Grant in these words: "Private—July 5th, 1882—My Dear General: You and I do not often need to talk over our business matters or for any other purpose, but I trust, you are well aware that a failure to do so is not for any want of respect, esteem or friendship on my part. We are both pretty well occupied generally, which explains itself. I think, however, it would not be amiss for you and me to counsel a little occasionally, in regard to the business of Grant & Ward, as our conservative influence, if not beneficial, would do them no harm, as they are so much younger than ourselves. I have often been asked by friends and business men whether you and I were general or special partners. We were for a time advertised as special, but I think we are virtually and actually general partners. I think legally we would find that to be our state.

The enclosed letter came from President James, of the Lincoln Bank, (to whom I sent a G. and W. note to be discounted). It was received by me and I send you a copy of my reply to his letter. You may be aware that I am on the notes G. & W., as indorser, which I have discounted myself, and have had to get negotiated to the extent of $200,000 in the aggregate at the same time and at once, which is not a trifling amount for me. It is necessary that the credit of G. & W. would deservedly stand very high.

These notes, as I understand it are given for no other purpose than to raise money for the payment of grain, etc., purchased to fill government contracts. Under the circumstances, my dear general, you will see that it is of the most vital importance to me particularly, that the credit of the firm shall always be untarnished unimpaired. I will be happy to meet you at almost any time you name to talk these matters over. Please return me President James's letter at your convenience, with any suggestion you may have to make. With respect and esteem, I am sincerely yours,

JAMES D. FISH.

GENERAL GRANT'S ANSWER.

To the above letter General Grant answered as follows:

NEW YORK CITY, June 6th, 1882.—My Dear Mr. Fish: On my arrival in this city this morning, I found your letter of yesterday, with the letter from Thomas L. James, president of the Lincoln national bank, and a copy of your reply to the latter. Your understanding in regard to our liabilities in the firm of Grant & Ward are the same as mine. If you desire it I am entirely willing that the advertisement of the firm shall be so changed as to express this. Not having been in the city for more than a week, I have a large accumulated mail to look over, and some business appointments to meet, so that I may not be able to get down to see you to-day, but if I can I will go before three o'clock.

Very truly yours,
U. S. GRANT.

GRANT'S USE OF HIS NAME.

Another letter which General Grant did not connect in any manner with his correspondence with Fish, was prepared by Ferdinand Ward, and at his request General Grant signed it. It is as follows:

"NEW YORK, July 6, 1882.

"My dear Mr. Fish: In relation to the matter of discount kindly made by you for the account of Grant & Ward, I would say that I think the investments are safe, and I am willing that Mr. Ward should derive what profit he can for the firm that the use of my name and influence may bring.

[Signed] U. S. GRANT.

The foregoing letters and facts mentioned comprise every thing known to General Grant or his counsel, to which the statement of Fisk can relate.

NEW YORK, May 26.—James D. Fish, late president of the Marine National bank, was arrested last night on a warrant issued by United States Commissioner Shields. Fish was arrested at the Mystic flats, Broadway and Thirty-ninth street, where it is said he has been concealing himself. The warrant was issued upon an affidavit made by National Bank Examiner Scriba, who deposed that after a careful examination of the books of the Marine National bank, that Fish had misappropriated funds belonging to the bank to the amount of $1,141,000. This was done between March 1st and May 6th, 1884. Shortly before 1 p. m., Fish was brought to the marshal's office, when a short consultation took place. From there he was conducted to the United States commissioner's office, accompanied by his counsel. Fish seemed entirely self-possessed. Commissioner Shields said to the prisoner:

"Mr. Fish, you are charged with a violation of the United States law in wilfully misapplying for your own uses certain moneys belonging to a United States bank. This is a criminal charge. Do your appear by counsel?"

Fish pointed to his counsel, who said:

"We plead not guilty."

He then asked the district attorney, Roof, what bail he wanted. Mr. Root replied that the Lawrence case was the nearest case to this, and in that the district attorney asked for $50,000. Mr. Root would ask for the same amount. Fish's counsel said his client had made over every dollar that he had for the benefit of the bank, and everybody knew that he had not personally profited by any of the money he was charged with misappropriating. Counsel thought that $15,000 or $20,000 would be ample security. Commissioner Shields said he was acquainted with the facts in the case, and he would fix the bail at $30,000. Thereupon the prisoner was taken to the marshal's office where he remained until his bondsmen qualified.

THE CHARGES AGAINST FISH.

The affidavit upon which President Fish, of the Marine bank, was arrested, charges that a series of credits were made by the bank to the firm of Grant & Ward, of moneys in sums of from $25,000 to $16,000 at various dates, and they were entered on the books of the banks as loans to imaginary persons, and secured by imaginary collaterals in stocks and bonds, none of which loans had ever been made, and the transactions were stated to be entirely fictitious. The affidavit in conclusion sets forth the following:

Upon diver's days between March 1st, 1884, and the 18th of April, 1884, in persuance of the direction and authority of Jas. D. Fish, as president, all the sums so credited to the firm of Grant & Ward, amounting to $375,000, were drawn out by said firm and paid them on their written order. Between April 14th and May 6th inclusive, Jas. D. Fish, as president, caused to be paid out of mony belonging to a national banking association, to or upon the written order of Grant & Ward, and for the benefit of himself and said Ferdinand Ward, further sums in excess of all credits to said firm, amounting to $766,402, at time of said overdrafts he (James D. Fish) well knowing that the firm of Grant & Ward was then unable to repay the sums so overdrawn, and the firm being then indebted to said bank in an amount exceeding $1,634,000, the total indebtedness thus augmented being six times the capital stock of said bank association.

A QUESTION BETWEEN GRANT AND FISH.

Reporters have been unable to get any authorized statement from General Grant or his counsel, Clarence Seward, to whom he defers in the matter regarding the allegations made by President Fish, of the Marine bank, that he had letters from General Grant assuring him that the government contracts of Grant & Ward were genuine. Interviews with friends of Genral Grant indicate very clearly, however, that they are convinced he will show in a day or two that Fish's statements are entirely false, or that they so misrepresent and distort the actual facts as to be worthless.

The bondsmen of Jas. D. Fisk appeared before Commissioner Childs at 4 o'clock this afternoon and qualified in the following amounts: Jas. E. Ward, of Ward & Co's Havana steamship company, $15,000; Francis C. Reed, lawyer, $1,500; David Hirsch, tobacconist, $75,000. Mr. Fish then took his departure accompanied by his friends. Before he left the building Fish was shown a statement, published in one of the evening papers, purporting to be a denial by General Grant concerning the authorship of a letter which Fish said the general had written him. Fish said that he did not believe Grant had denied having written the letters in question, as he (Fish) now had them in his possession. He would, however, refuse for the present to make them public, except as to their general scope, which he had already disclosed.

GENERAL THOMAS ON THE STREET.

None of the suspended Wall street firms have as yet completed their statements as to how they stand. General Thomas, president of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad, arrived in Wall street to-day from abroad. His appearance has inspired the holders of the first consolidated bonds with the hope that he will be able to make arrangements for the payment of the interest on the coupons. The feeling expressed on the street as to the arrest of Fish seems to be that it was expected.

DROPPED INTO FISH'S NET.

Reed & Smith, cotton, No. 211 Pearl street, this city, have made an assignment to Archibald M. Machay, making preferences. The house is an old and well known one in the trade, and for years has maintained a high standing, but are understood to have become involved in the affairs of Jas. D. Fish, late president of the Marine bank.

The firm of Reid & Smith, merchants, of No. 211 Pearl street, made an assignment today for the benefit of their creditors.

AN UNFAITHFUL OFFICER.

The President of the Erie Savings Bank Confesses His Guilt.

ERIE, Pa., May 26.—President Adam Brabender, of the defunct Erie County Savings bank, has returned to Erie. He admits that he and Cashier Pettit lost $100,000 in a grain and oil speculation. Brabender also admits that he took money belonging to the bank, paid it to a friend and left, and exonerates the cashier. He is now in jail. The feeling against Brabender is very strong, as the paper in bank has proved worthless. Brabender has made an assignment of his private property, valued at $100,000, to his creditors, but this amount will not cover his indebtedness, and the stockholders will probably lose from $200,000 to $250,000. Many of them will probably be ruined.

A FOOL'S JOKE.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 26.—The Norwalk paper published on Friday a lengthy article relative to the long and steady run on one of the oldest banks in that town, which was intended as a joke. The article referred to the Granite bank in the village. The article was headed "A Norwalk Bank in Trouble." Scores of excited depositors, who read the article or heard of it, rushed to the Norwalk Savings bank, the oldest in the vicinity, and drew their deposits. The run continued during the day, and between $25,000 and $30,000 was taken out before the character of the article became known.

THE PENN BANK CLOSES AGAIN.

PITTSBURG, May 26.—The Penn bank closed its doors again at twelve o'clock to-day, and posted the following notice on the door:

Mr. Riddle, president and chief executive officer of this bank, having become suddenly and seriously ill, and unable to communicate with the board of directors, it is deemed proper to close the bank under the existing circumstances until he sufficiently recovers to be present at an adjustment of its affairs.

By order of the board officers have been placed in charge, who refuse to permit an audience with any of the board. There is great excitement.

The crash was brought about by the clearing house throwing out checks amounting to $265,000. According to the statement of the directors the bank had raised $93,000 to pay the liabilities of $918,000. It is said that there was $300,000 in certified checks out, which were not included in this amount, and which had to be paid. The banks which loaned the suspended institution funds to tide it over are secured.

The news of this second suspension spread rapidly and created intense excitement and surprise, owing to the fact that everybody had faith in the ability of the bank to pay all claims against it. The directors positively refuse to be interviewed. Large crowds flocked to the bank, and the pavement in front of it was soon filled with anxious depositors and persons attracted through curiosity. President Riddle appeared in his usual health at ten o'clock this morning, but half an hour later it was given out that he was prostrated by a hemorrhage of the lungs, and since then that he has had three repetitions of the trouble. He is lying at the Du Quesne club rooms, Unicorn street, and only slight hopes of his recovery are entertained. Still later it became noised abroad that his illness is due to an overdose of morphia or chloroform, which he took this morning. The physicians are endeavoring to relieve him of the drug.

When it was discovered that President Riddle of the Penn bank, had taken a narcotic great excitement ensued, and the DuQuesne club building, where he had been taken, was besieged by anxious inquirers after his condition. A stomach pump was brought into requisition, and this evening the patient recovered consciousness. It is learned that he had been attacked with a severe pain this morning, and had taken an overdose. All sorts of rumors are afloat. One is a renewal of the report that the bank lost heavily in oil speculation, and another that there has been a heavy defalcation, and that the doors were opened to allow certain depositors to withdraw their deposits. The bank officers are generally dumbfounded by the turn affairs have taken, and profess to be entirely ignorant.

A WISCONSIN BANK CLOSES.

CHICAGO, May 26.—A dispatch to the Journal from Milwaukee, Wis., says that Strong's bank at Greenbay closed its doors this morning.

THE IBERIAN WAR.

A LOUISIANA PARISH TORN ASUNDER BY MOB RULE.

A Republican Official, Defeated at the Polls, Takes Possession of the Courthouse in New Iberia, and Refuses to Submit to the Authorities and Makes a Determined Resistance

NEW ORLEANS, May 26.—News from New Iberia is to the effect that a crisis is fast approaching. A number of Fortellien's adherents have been marching about the streets at night shouting for their leader, singing "We'll hang Judge Gates on a sour apple tree," and firing in the air. Women and children have been terrorized and the only subject discussed is the imminent peril of the conflict. Fortellien's adherents maintain an armed garrison at night in the courthouse, and during the day a large number of his supporters are in its immediate neighborhood. Judge Gates, supported by the merchants and educated people, is also prepared for the struggle. His party have established their arsenal about two squares from the courthouse. They have organized a body of men who are well armed, and a militia company has also been formed and is ready at a moment's call. Thus, it will be seen, that both sides are armed and prepared. Such situation at best cannot last longer than a day or two. As soon as the sheriff's bond has been approved, he will make a formal demand for his office. The present incumbent says that if the present clerk accepts the bond he will retire, but as Clerk Segura is friendly to Fontellen, it is not likely he will accept it. If the democrats are met by a refusal, it is stated that force will be used at once. A large number of each party is in town, and hostilities may commence at any moment. Judge Fontellen stated to-day that no matter what might come Judge Gates would never preside over court here. He said that even if the militia were sent it would not alter the condition of things; Judge Gates would never preside. Another dispatch says the officers-elect presented to the actual clerk of court their bonds, signed by the best citizens, but they were practically refused. They are now awaiting the action of Brigadier-General Perry, of the militia. Trouble is expected to-night or to-morrow. Judging from indications, the struggle will be a hot one, as the excitement is very great, and there is bad blood on both sides.

TROOPS CALLED FOR.

Later—Sheriff-Elect Veasey presented his bond to the deputy clerk of the court, the clerk being absent. The deputy said he could not certify to the bond, that it might take one hour, two hours or two months to do it. After this a council of Judge Gate's friends was held. It was determined to telegraph the governor the situation, and that every step might be taken within the law to ask that state forces to secure obedience to the commissioned officers be sent. Troops are asked for now that they may reach here on Wednesday evening.

EVENTS OF CHURCH INTEREST

A New Catholic Church in Baltimore—Church Convertions.

BALTIMORE, May 26.—The cornerstone of a new Roman Catholic chapel, St. Charles Barromeo, was laid yesterday afternoon at the corner of Baker and Gilmore streets in the northwest section of the city, in presence of a great throng. The corner stone was laid by Bishop Gross, of Savannah, who preached the sermon. Rev. Father Corrigan was assisted by Vicar-General McGolgan, Father John Poley, Father Bartlett and other clergymen from the Jesuit college.

THE SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIANS.

NEW ORLEANS, May 26.—The Presbyterian general assembly at Vicksburg has adjourned sine die. Among its last actions was the framing of a fraternal letter to the northern assembly, teeming with the kindliest sentiment, but expressing a firm determination to adhere to the position taken at the last assembly in regard to the mode of correspondence. A letter of the same purport was also sent to the general synod.

THE NORTHERN PRESBYTERIANS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 26.—In the Presbyterian general assembly to-day resolutions relative to the action of the southern assembly in discontinuing correspondence by delegate, were discussed at great length, and finally tabled. The committees submitted their final reports and were discharged, and letters of Christian and fraternal character from the Methodist general conference were read and a responsive letter was sent.

THE AFRICAN METHODISTS.

BALTIMORE, May 26.—Bishop Wayman presided to-day. The conference would not permit the bishop to select their districts for the next quadriennial term, but assigned them to the nine Episcopal districts respectively in the ordered named. Bishop R. H. Cain, Bishop Wm. T. Dickerson, Bishop J. P. Campbell, Bishop John W. Brown, Bishop M. Turner, Bishop J. A. Shorter, Bishop D. A. Payne, Bishop Q. M. D. Ward and Bishop A. W. Wayman.

THE NORTHERN METHODISTS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 26.—In the Methodist Episcopal conference the committee to nominate trustees of church institutions reported. The report of the committee on episcopacy then came up. It recommends among other things the establishment of episcopal residences at the following places: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Minneapolis, Atlanta or Chattanooga, New Orleans, or Austin, Texas, Desmoines, Denver and Buffalo. The Episcopal residences were finally fixed at the following places: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis or Greencastle, San Francisco or Vicinity, Minneapolis, New Orleans or Austin, Atlanta Topeka or vicinity, Buffalo, Denver.

WORK OF THE FLAMES.

A Disastrous Conflagration on the Scene of a Previous Horror.

NEW YORK, May 26.—A destructive fire occurred early this morning in building No. 52, Vesey street, occupied by E. Greenfield & Son, manufacturers of confectionery, whose factory in Barclay street was destroyed by fire in 1877, with a loss of more than a dozen lives. The fire was caused by an explosion of flour dust, and the flames had gained powerful headway before the fire department arrived in response to the general alarm sent out at 3 a. m. After three hours hard work the fire was finally brought under control. It had extended to two adjoining buildings, Nos. 50 and 54, causing considerable damage. The entire loss is probably over $60,000.

CHICAGO, May 26.—The northwestern storage warehouse of Hiram Sibley & Co., dealers in field and garden seeds, a five story brick building 80 by 185 feet was burned yesterday. The firm lose $25,000 on the building, $50,000 on stock, insurance $55,500. O. F. Gibbs & Son, who occupied a portion of the building lose $12,500, fully insured. There were stored in the building consignments of teas, coffee, sugar, syrup, etc., the property of a dozen or more firms, whose aggregate loss is $375,500. Insured.

READING, Mass., May 26.—The Mayall rubber factory was burned to-day. Loss $200,000.

The Storm at Kings Point.

CHATTANOOGA, May 26.—[Special.]—A gentleman from Kings Point states that the storm that passed along the east side of Missionary Ridge Saturday night, struck that place and blew three new houses to pieces. Not being entirely finished the houses were unoccupied

INTERNAL REVENUE BURDENS.

Line of Action Proposed for Relief—Prospect Not Encouraging.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—[Special]—When congress met there was a reasonable hope for the abolition of the internal revenue system. That the excise taxes would be severely cut down seemed almost certain. The house in its organization fell into the hands of men who were possessed with one idea—the immediate reform of the tariff. No suggestion of the democrats who thought internal revenue reform of at least equal importance was heeded until it was found in the caucus that enough democrats were opposed to the Morrison bill to defeat it. Then Mr. Carlisle offered the amendment reducing internal revenue taxes, merely as a means of strengthening his pet scheme. Since the wreck of that horizontal machination the plan for a reduction of internal revenue taxes has been discouraged by most of the disappointed leaders who had set their hearts on the passage of a general tariff bill. Still there are two bills before the house looking toward partial relief from the most odious of all the burdens imposed upon the people by the federal taxing power. Mr. Green of North Carolina, early in the session offered a bill repealing the tax on all distillation from fruits. He was afraid to trust it to the ways and means committee, and somehow had it referred to the committee on agriculture. It was favorably reported and is now on the house calendar.

Mr. Blount introduced a similar bill, which was sent to the ways and means committee, of which he is a member. It has not been reported and probably will not be. While Mr. Blount is earnestly in favor of the object proposed, he is about the only democrat on the committee who cares to do anything in this direction. Mr. Morrison is one of the most determined opponents of the whisky or brandy tax. The only reasonable hope now is to get up the bill by Mr. Green, already reported from the committee on agriculture. This prospect is by no means encouraging. The ways and means committee does not think the committee on agriculture had any right to consider or report a bill reducing taxation and most of its members will surely antagonize the proposition to consider the Green bill. Mr. Phil Thompson rushed through the house some weeks ago a resolution declaring it inexpedient at this time to reduce the whisky tax, and while the brandy tax is comparatively a very small item, the western democrats generally will oppose its abolition. If the Green bill shall be called up Mr. Cabell, of Virginia, will move to amend it by adding a clause abolishing the tobacco tax. A great demand comes from Virginia and North Carolina for such repeal; for the democrats in the last campaigns in those states pledged themselves to this reform. It is feared that a failure to accomplish it in a house so largely democratic, will work serious injury to the party in those debatable states. But the prospect is not good for any immediate relief from the onerous and odious internal revenue system, which has so long oppressed the people in most of the southern states.

GOSSIP OF THE CAPITAL.

Three Disbarred Tennessee Officials—A Test Case Decided.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Robert J. Dyer, of Shady Hill, Tennessee, and Troy W. Williams, of Shady Hill, Tennessee, and Troy W. Williams, of Decaturville, Tennessee, have been disbarred from practice as pension attorneys before the interior department.

Representative Money, of Mississippi, denies the truth of the published report that he has declined a renomination to congress for the purpose of organizing a stock company to establish a newspaper in California. He has published a card declining the renomination, but disclaims any intention of leaving Mississippi.

The test case of J. H. Simmons against the United States was decided in the court of claims to-day, in favor of the claimant. This was a suit for interest on direct taxes in Charleston, S. C. The court held that the interest was erroneously collected, and that the statute of limitation does not affect the provision of the act of February, 1867, authorizing the secretary of the treasury to collect errors, and to return the money collected through a mistake under the direct tax laws.

The department of state having been informed that t the Chinese government proposed to enter a silk loom in operation as an exhibit at the New Orleans exposition, the question arose as to whether the Chinese restriction act didn't prohibit the landing of operators, on the ground that they were laborers. The question was referred to the treasury department, and Secretary Folger to-day informed the secretary of state that the Chinese operators would be admitted without molestation, with the understanding they will not remain in the country longer than necessary to display their exhibit.

The issue of warrants for the arrest of John C. Eno, late president of the Second National bank, of New York, and James D. Fish, late president of the Marine National bank, was tde result of investigations made under the directions of the comptrollers of the currency. It is understood that District Attorney Root had a conference with Comptroller Cannon on the subject last week.

ACCIDENT AND DISASTER.

Collison on the Westshore Road in which Four Were Killed and Seven Wounded.

NEW YORK, May 26.—On the Westshore railroad train No. 54, from the west, due here at 9:30 o'clock last night, was to have met the west bound extra No. 51 at this place. No. 54 supposing No. 51 was on the side-track, came down at the rate of thirty miles an hour, and struck No. 51, which had not got on the side track, completely demolishing one coach and part of another. Four persons were killed and seven injured.

TROY, N. Y., May 26.—At eleven o'clock this evening the boiler exploded in Moone & Wilson's paper mill at Waterford. Several lives were lost.

A Dead Body Found.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 26.—[Special.]—At Broch's gap, fifteen miles below here, the body of an unknown man was found in a branch Sunday. Decomposition had set in, and the vultures preyed upon the body. Thirty-six dollars and several letters were found on his person, and from his general appearance it is supposed he committed suicide.

All Quiet in Iberia.

BATON ROUGE, La., May 26.—Governor McEner received a telegram yesterday morning from ex-Senator Perry, of New Iberia, stating that quiet prevailed there, and that there was no necessity for troops, whereupon the governor revoked the order issued for troops to proceed to that place.

Deaths From Yellow Fever.

HAVANA, May 26.—Thirteen deaths from yellow fever have occurred here during the week ended yesterday.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Senor Estrado, a Cuban editor in Key West, cowhided a Spanish spy who was following him.

The striking miners of Western Indiana have resolved to return to work.

W. W. Kerr, one of the counsel in the star route cases, in his testimony before Springer's committee yesterday, clearly charged Attorney Bliss, of the prosecution, with having conspired to let Dorsey go, and with general conspiracy against the government's interest.

The Universal peace association is in session in Washington.

John Carpenter, an ex-convict, brutally murdered his wife in New York yesterday. He had previously tried to kill his sister-in-law, and after the murder of his wife tried to kill himself.

GEORGIA GOSSIP.

SHORT TALKS WITH THE SCRIBES OF THE COUNTRY PRESS.

The Progress of Arrangements for the Rome Encampment The Appearance of a Colored Anti-Christ in Hall County—Burning of the Swainsboro Hotel—Other Gossip.

The Piedmont Press narrates the curious story of a colored anti-Christ who has been proselyting the negroes of that section. Starting as a revivalist, he quickly developed into more startling pretensions and assuming the power of forgiving sins, induced his followers to worship him. He has lately exhibited the stigmater, that is the five wounds inflicted upon the cross, in side, hands and feet, and whenever doubting Thomases come near he convinces them by these alleged facts. This new prophet should come to town and enter a walking match.

The Hartwell Sun tells of a case of highway robbery which occurred there lately. Laura Cook, a negro damsel from the country, spent Tuesday night with Mary Reeder. In the morning she went to the depot to board the train. Mary followed and told her she wanted that fifty cents she stole from the house. Laura protested she had stole no money, and said she had only forty cents. Mary changed her mind to suit the pile and said it was forty cents she lost, and by threats induced Laura to fork over. Laura swore out a warrant, and Mary got the warrant dismissed by returning the money and paying cost.

The trade of the Chattahoochee river has increased $3,471,861 in the brief period of nine years by the small expenditure of $125,582. This fact deserves attention and will renew the interest felt in the water routes of the country.

Bishop Pierce has a walking cane that was made from some of the timber of the first Methodist church built on American soil. The cane is 120 years old and was presented to the bishop's father many years ago by one of the doctor's numerous admirers.

Mr. E. B. Langston, an aged and worthy citizen of Fayetteville dropped dead last Monday afternoon. The Henry County Weekly relates as a singular coincidence that on Wednesday previous to his death he was plowing in a field near town when his horse dropped dead in the furrow, under circumstances as mysterious and unexplainable as those that attended his own death.

The store of E. A. Pohlman, in Bainbridge, narrowly escaped burning. The fire had made considerable headway inside when it was extinguished.

The residence of J. P. Adair, in Carnesville, was destroyed by fire last Wednesday morning. The Register says this was one among the oldest houses in this section and built after the old style of architecture, using heavy framing and none but the best of weather-boarding and ceiling. It was built some sixty years ago by Thomas King, who was one of the prosperous men of the town, and was put up in first-class style in every respect, consequently the house burned very fast, and it was impossible to save the building, or any furniture on the upper floor.

In the University nine which played the game of baseball in Union Point Saturday, it is said there were four students and three citizens of Athens, reinforced by two from Lexington and one from Greensboro.

The wife of William Staley, in Houston county, was severely wounded by the falling of a portico. Her child's leg was broken at the same time.

Willie Anderson, of Fort Valley, has fifteen acres of watermelons.

Fort Valley Mirror: The Sylvania Telephone says that a physician in Screven county is engaged in making tombstones. We never before heard of a doctor's being so directly concerned in the grave making business.

W. E. Barnes, of Quitman, had a check on Seney's suspended bank for one hundred and sixty dollars.

W. C. Leak, of Quitman, was tried before the ordinary's court on Wednesday last for lunacy, and was taken to Milledgeville on Thursday by Sheriff McNeil.

Colonel Charles I. Graves is revisiting Rome. He is now a citizen of Mississippi.

Mr. Prescott, of Valdosta, will add sixteen rooms to the Howell house this summer.

Charlie Pendleton, of the Valdosta Times, is sitting on the doorstep watching for early watermelons.

One of the best country papers published in Georgia is the Pike County News. It keeps up with the times in local matters, is well edited, and every issue is thoroughly readable.

There is a sasafras tree in Lowndes county which measures eight feet around, one foot above the ground.

The Swainsboro hotel, the property of Judge Matthew Overstreet, was burned last Sunday night. The fire originated in the kitchen and was purely accidental. The loss is estimated at $2,000. No insurance.

Captain J. W. Clarke, of Augusta, is interested in the organization of a cavalry company. Initiatory steps have been taken which promise success.

Thomasville News: Last Sunday while on their way to church, Mr. James A. Sarrett's horse took fright at some fighting dogs and ran away throwing himself and sister out. The buggy was literally torn to pieces, while its occupants were but slightly injured. In the meantime two other buggies were to some extent broken.

Of the champion flag, which is to be presented to the best drilled company at the Rome encampment, the Courier says:

"It will be made of the finest satin, in the national colors, on one side of which will be painted the Georgia coat of arms and on the reverse side will be the words "southern championship, grand military encampment, Rome, Ga, 1884," will be skillfully worked in silk. The flag will be trimmed with the most costly, heavy gold fringe, and will be contested for by the following companies which have already skoke for quarters:

Cresent rifles and Continental Guards, New Orleans; Washington Light Infantry, and two other companies whose names we have forgotten, of Charleston; Spalding Greys and Guards, Griffin, Ga.; Republican Blues and Cadets, Savannah; Clark's Light Infantry, Augusta; Guards, Albany; Light Guards and Hill City Cadets, Rome; Rifles, Brunswick; Etowah Rifles, Gadsden, Ala.; Chicamauga Guards and Cadets, Chattanooga; Kennesaw Guards, Memphis; Cave Spring Guards; Porter Rifles, Captain Bonner's company, of Abbeville, S. C., and about ten other companies are now negotiating with the encampment secretary on the subject of tents, etc. The artillery companies coming are the Chathams, of Savannah; Jackson Artillery, Albany; the Birmingham Artillery and the Sandersville Artillery.

Mrs. Colonel Charles I. Craves, of Rome, received a telegram recently that her brother, rector of St. Alban's church, West Virginia, died at Clifton, Virginia, on the 15th instant.

Quite a number of Roman citizens made his acquaintance last summer when he was there, and preached at St. Peter's church. He was a graduate of West Point, class of 1861.

The grand encampment of Harris county Confederate veterans will probably be held at Kingsboro.

Departed this life at her home near Cartersville, Georgia, in the 76th year of her age, at 11 a. m., yesterday, May 26th, Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Young, relict of the late Dr. R. M Young, and mother of General P. M. B. Young, of Bartow county.

A LOST YOUNG WOMAN.

The Wonderful Travels of a Young Lady Who Got Lost in Georgia.

From the Savannah, Ga., News.

Among the passengers on the steamship City of Augusta, now on her way to New York, is a young lady whose singular adventure in traveling from Jacksonville to Savannah last week won for her the title of the lost woman. On Wednesday night Miss Martha Howes, accompanied by her sister, left Jacksonville, occupying a section in the Savannah sleeper. They were destined for Boston, and expected to sail by the steamer Gate City on Thursday afternoon.

Some time after leaving Jacksonville Miss Howes asked a porter to escort her to the Cincinnati sleeper, in which were several friends destined to Cincinnati by the way of Savannah, as they supposed. Leaving her hand-baggage, bonnet, purse and tickets with her sister, she stepped into the car where her friends were and sat down. After a pleasant chat she called the porter, this time of the car in which she was riding, and asked him to lead her back to the Savannah sleeper. "The Savannah sleeper, ma'am? Why, there's no Savannah car on this train!" A look of surprise came over the young lady as she realized her situation, and her friends were equally as surprised, as they supposed they were bound for Savannah also. The porter explained that the Savannah sleeper had been left at Waycross to be taken by the night train, and that they were being whirled on towards Albany. What to do the young lady did not know. The train was then some distance beyond Waycross, and too far to ride back by carriage in the night. She was without money or tickets, and knowing that her sister was unaware of her whereabouts, and would be concerned for her safety, she explained the circumstances to the conductor, and at the first stop a telegram was sent back to Waycross saying that she would return there by the first train. The telegram was not received by her sister, who came on to Savannah and related the circumstances so far as she knew them to Messrs Barnard & Richardson, agents of the Boston line of steamers. Mr. Barnard at once became interested, and set out to find the young lady. A telegram was sent in her name to Waycross, and to insure its delivery another was sent to the operator stating the circumstances, and asking that the message be placed in Miss Howe's hands as quickly as possible. An hour later a reply was received that there was no such person in town. This aroused Mr. Barnard's interest still further, and he determined to find the young lady without fail. Being wholly unaware of her movements after she left her sister below Waycross, he surmised that she had been carried past on the Cincinnati sleeper and would reach Savannah by the way of Macon and the Central railroad. The ship by which she expected to sail was to leave at 4 o'clock, and in the hope of her arrival by the 3:25 from Macon, Mr. Barnard made preparations to meet her upon her arrival at the Central depot with a carriage, so that she might reach the ship without delay. He told the story to Major Whitehead, of the Central, who, with a significant shake of the head, looked at Mr. Barnard as if to see whether he was in earnest.

"She's skipped! There's a young man in the case," replied the major.

Mr. Barnard assured him that this could not be, and a telegram was sent to the conductor of the Macon train at Millen to find out if Miss Howe was on board. The reply came back, "Not on train."

Baffled in this move, Agent Knapp, at Macon, was telegraphed a full description of the young lady, and asked to keep a lookout for her. Mr. Knapp searched the city, and replied that there was no person answering to Miss Howes's description to be found.

The ship was by this time ready to sail, and the young lady's sister was anxiously awaiting intelligence that might lead to her recovery. Upon the receipt of Mr. Knapp's reply that he had been unable to gain any information of her whereabouts in Macon or along the road, the case began to look mysterious. Mr. Barnard assured his sister that every effort would be made to reach Miss Howes, and that she would be sent by the next steamer. With this assurance the sister left for Boston. Mr. Barnard at once continued his efforts to find the young lady, and by repeated telegrams succeeded in overhauling the Cincinnati sleeper at Chattanooga, where it was learned from the conductor that Miss Howes had been sent back to Waycross that morning. In the meantime the interest of those engaged in the search for the young lady had heightened, and various theories were advanced. It was thought by some she had fallen or jumped from the train and was killed, and by others that the matter had been pre-arranged and that she had voluntarily left her sister and eloped. The telegram from the conductor at Chattanooga was not wholly satisfactorily to those who believed that such was the case, and it was not until more definite information had been obtained that they were convinced of the young lady's discovery.

Colonel Haines, of the Savannah, Florida and Western railway, who had been acquainted with the case, telegraphed the operator at Waycross and learned that Miss Howes had been there, but had gone on to Brunswick, where she had friends. Later a telegram was received from Brunswick announcing her arrival there, and that she would reach Savannah on Friday morning. The Friday morning train brought her to the city in company with a gallant young German, who, upon learning of her adventure, assumed the role of protector until he had placed her in Mr. Barnard's care. She had been provided with money by her friends, and further than being wearied by a long day's travel was as unconcerned about her safety as though she had been in her home. The anxiety of her friends had been greater than her own. While tracking her the short distance she had traveled, the telegraph had clicked her name over thousands of miles of wire, and at the offices where inquiry had been made, and on board the trains where the porters inquired, "Miss Howes on board?" she became known as "the lost woman." There are probably few incidents in travel which better illustrate the possibilities of an error, and which show more clearly the wonderful progress of invention than the one just told. The long night ride of Miss Howes from Waycross to Albany and return, her trip to Jesup and Brunswick and on to Savannah was made without the slightest embarrassment, and she was given the most courteous attention by the train officials by whom she was passed to her destination. Upon arriving here she was driven to the Pulaski house, and in the afternoon was placed on board the City of Augusta en route to her home in the old bay state.

POLITICS IN GEORGIA.

Tde Talbot democracy will act on the 3d.

Hon. B. G. McKinney, of Upson, is suggested for the state senate.

Taliaferro has instructed her delegates to the Sandersville convention to vote for Barnes.

Clayton county will again present her claim for the senatorship of the thirty-fifth district.

Jackson county will act on the questions of he day on the first Monday in June.

Messrs. John H. Hixon and Samuel Flynt are candidates for the senate from the nineteenth district.

Mr. Prior B. Veazy will represent Taliaferro in the next legislature. It is also said that his brother, a citizen of Warrenton, will represent Warren.

GEORGIA BY WIRE.

THE NEWS OF THE STATE BRIEFLY CHRONICLED.

The Oar and Bat in Savannah—An Old Man Nearly Roasted to Death—The Local Option Law Indorsed in the Pulpit—Fire in Sparta—Other News All Over the State.

CLAYTON, Ga., May 26.—[Special.]—H. W. Cannon & Sons cut the first line on their new sawmill to-day, at exactly 12 o'clock. It works admirably.

Fire in Sparta.

SPARTA, May 26.—[Special]—A fire broke out here about four o'clock this afternoon in Mr. John Friezes's furniture store. Six stores and shops and three dwellings were consumed. The financial loss is not known. Nothing was insured. No lives were lost.

Fire in Irwinton.

IRWINTON, Ga., May 26.—[Special].—Yesterday morning about three o'clock, the storehouse of Messrs. T. and A. Beall, was discovered to be on fire which was entirely consumed together with their stock of general merchandise, and two or three county records. In the safe was their books etc., and one thousand dollars county school funds. Their losses are $1,500 on stock and $800 on store. No insurance. It was the work of an incendiary.

A Fatal Day for Bathers.

ATHENS, Ga., May 26.—[Special.]—Johnnie Clayton, a young man about nineteen years old, went in bathing below the cemetery, Saturday. He attempted to dive off of a rock and struck his head against the bottom, injuring his spine, from which he died yesterday evening.

Two little negro boys went in bathing near the Bobin mill, Sunday evening, and were drowned. Large parties were diving for their bodies all day Monday, but the water being so swift it was impossible to find them.

The Oar and the Bat.

SAVANNAH, May 26.—[Special.]—At the meeting of the Isle of Hope yacht club to-day the following officers were elected: Commodore, T. P. Bond; vice-commodore, J. B. West; rear commodore, J. M. Bryan; secretary and treasurer, A. C. Claghorn. Arrangements were made for an annual regatta on the second of June, and a grand event is anticipated.

In the second game of baseball between the Oglethorpes and Dixies this afternoon the former won by a score of 9 to 1. The third game will be played shortly.

LEE ON PROHIBITION.

A Roman Preacher Advocates the Local Option Law.

ROME, Ga., May 26.—[Special.]—The Rev. J. W. Lee preached on "Prohibition" at the Methodist chuch last night. He maintained that as disease is contagious and infectious in the physical world, so is vice in the moral world. The great evil of intemperance is making fearful headway. Prohibition, continued the preacher, is the true and only remedy. He favored a law that should submit to the people of each county the question of prohibition or no prohibition. He contended that prohibition does not injure trade; that brain is the life of commerce, and intemperance, which ruins brain and body, is the enemy of commerce; temperance is its friend. The money spent for whisky would be invested in clothing, in food, in articles of use and comfort. If men must drink, let them drink in their homes and not in a public tippling shop.

The commencement season opens this week. Tuesday evening the juvenile concert of the Rome female college takes place. Sunday Rev. Dr. McDonald preaches the commencement sermon of Shorter college at the new Baptist church. On the first and second weeks in June the closing exercises of both colleges will take place. Our people take a deep interest in these exercises, and in all that tends to educational advancement.

THE GREEN HILL HOMICIDE.

Mollie Nelson Tells Why She Killed Emma Shipp—A Shocking Outrage.

From the Lumpkin, Ga., Independent.

A difficulty occurred on Captain B. F. Davis's place on Saturday night last between Emma Shipp and Mollie Nelson, colored, which resulted in the death of the former. Both of these negro women were in jail here last year for fighting, and it appears that the best of feeling did not exist between them. It seems that Emma Shipp had been given two yards of ribbon by an admirer and that Mollie Nelson mentioned the fact to Emma's husband. This aroused Emma's anger and on Saturday night she called Molley to account for talking about her. This was the origin of the difficulty, which led to the killing, and as Mollie Nelson waived a commitment trial and went to jail, the facts in the case can best be given in the prisoner's statement. In company with Deputy Sheriff Holder we visited the jail on Thursday morning and found Mollie Nelson to be a mulatto woman of about twenty-five years of age, slight in statue with an eye that indicates a readiness to fight whenever called upon. She has with her a three months old babe that it was thought best to allow her to keep with her. She says that on Saturday night she was visiting at one of the negro quarters on Captain Davis's place, when Emma Shipp called her to the door and told her she wanted to see her. She at first refused to go but afterward went out, when Emma began to upbraid her for talking to Emma's husband about her, referring to the gift of a piece of ribbon from another negro man. Mollie says she tried to avoid a difficulty, and started back into the house, when Emma picked up a piece of fence rail and made demonstrations, at the same time cursing and trying to hit her. Mollie Nelson went into the house and says that Emma Shipp continued to call her out, and said she would kill her if she had to go to hell to do it. She says she feared the difficulty and did not go out as she did not know that she had any means of defense. Finally she concluded to go home, and left the house accompanied by another negro. After getting outside she saw Emma Shipp with an ax trying to get to her, but who was held by other negroes. Finally Emma Shipp got lose and rushed toward her with an ax uplifted. She turned and ran, and looking back saw Emma Shipp close on her, and ready to strike her with the ax, and thought unless she made some effort at self-defense she would be killed. In the meantime she had discovered a pocket knife in her left pocket, which she drew out and opened with her teeth while warding of the blow of the ax with her left arm. She turned and ran in under the axe and cut at her pursuer. She again ran off and a second time was pursued and ran in upon her antagonist who struck at her with the ax as she cut with her knife. As they came together the ax dropped toward the ground and Emma Shipp fastened her teeth in Mollie Nelson's, shoulder. She thinks she then made three cuts with her knife which ended the fight. Emma Shipp was found to be cut in several places and died from the effects of her injuries. Mollie Nelson left the place from fear of harm from Emma's friends and made her way to Chattahoochee county. Here she was arrested by Sheriff Harp who delivered her to Deputy Sheriff Holder. She was carried before Judge Pearson and waiving a commitment trial was sent to jail to await her trial at the next term of Stewart superior court. We learn that the statement as made by the prisoner is corroborated by several witnesses to the difficulty.

ALL FOR LOVE.

The Desperation of a Young Lady who was Bound to Win.

From the Bainbridge, Ga., Democrat.

Last Monday evening a young lady who lives in John Wilkes's neighborhood in the northeastern part of the county, made a desperate attempt at suicide by swallowing the third part of the contents of a one-eighth ounce vial of morphine. Antidotes were administered freely, etc., but with great difficulty was the young lady saved from a premature death. When our informant, Mr. A. G. Newsome, who was present during the successful efforts to revive the young lady, left, she was doing well. The cause of the rash act was a love disappointment, which was not for lack of willingness either upon the part of the young lady or her expected to be swain, but the opposition came from some of the old folks connected with the parties to the affair. But here comes the pleasing finale of this brief romance, so to speak. While the young lady was almost in articulo mortis, and it was known the why whyfores of the desperate act; and when she refused to swallow an antidote until her beloved bade her do so, he was at once post haste sent for and appeared upon the scene. His presence aided much in restoring her to life and friends, and now they are to be married sometime in the near future, provided, of course, that the young lady recovers. The young lady is a blooming maiden of twenty, and her beloved is a buoyant youth of twenty-three.

GEORGIA BREVITIES.

Mr. J. C. Smith, of Hogansville, died Sunday morning at about 1 o'clock.

Professor I. F. Cox, of LaGrange, thinks of putting a town clock in the tower of the college chapple. The boarding house is now completed. It is three stories high.

The Baptist Sunday school of LaGrange has contributed $150 towards paying for a fifteen hundred dollar church organ. Nearly eight hundred dollars have been pledged.

A chandelier fell in Mr. Theodore Mayer's store Saturday night in LaGrange, which came near resulting in a first-class fire.

Mrs. Thomas Reynolds died at her home in Floyd county on Saturday night, and was buried at Pleasant Valley church yesterday.

The county board of education of Floyd county have organized for the coming year by the election of W. L. Whitley, chairman, and M. A. Nevin, commissioner; and have appointed trustees for each militia district.

George Gray, a negro boy in Savannah, jumped from a street car while in motion and was thrown on the track. The wheel passed over his foot, crushing it terribly. It was amputated this morning.

THAT $15,000 PRIZE

Drawn by Engineer Isaac Haines.

The lucky holder of the one-fifth of ticket 10,842, which drew the capital prize of $75,000 in The Louisiana State Lottery last Tuesday, is Mr. Isaac Haines, the engineer of passenger engine No. 51, on the Memphis and Charleston railroad. The gentleman was interviewed at Chattanooga last Wednesday, by an attache of the Times, and that journal on yesterday had the following on the subject: "'I'll tell you how it happened,' said Mr. Haines. 'I happened to find an old dollar bill in my pocketbook when in Memphis last week, and, while sauntering along the street, concluded to buy a lottery ticket. I put it away and thought no more of it until this morning, when a gentleman showed me a telegram from New Orleans, stating that ticket No. 10,842 had drawn the capital prize, $75,000, in The Louisiana State Lottery. Remembering that I had a ticket I hunted it up, and found that it corresponded with the number telegraphed.' Mr. Haines is undeceided what he will do with the money, but it will be put to good use. He has been running an engine on the Memphis road 14 years, and is held in high esteem by his employers. He has supported two sisters and an aged father for years on his farm near Stevenson Ala. A few months ago he was in a pool for a ticket in the same lottery and drew a large prize, receiving $600 for his share.—Memphis (Tenn.) Ledger, May 16.

Qhillips, one of the Berner jury at Cincinnati, has gone back to Cincinnati voluntarily to prove his innocence of bribery.

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At Stevens Point, Wis., Nelson Strong was awarded $1,200 damages for the drowning of his son in a slough of the city. The city will carry the case to the supreme court.

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The reunion of the Ninth Ohio veterans took place at Louisville, Ky., yesterday, and was largely attended by soldiers from Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio.

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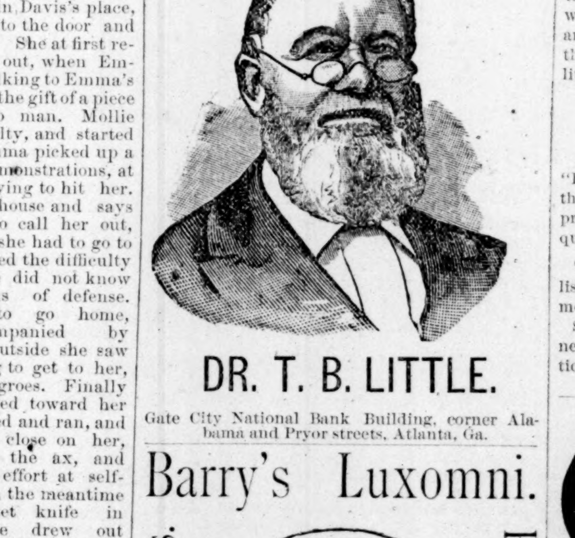

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AT PRESENT THERE SEEMS TO BE A PERFECT cyclone of patent medicines. Remedial agents apparently flash from beneath the storm cloud, pour forth from subterranean vaults, and gleam in the sunlight of every city and hamlet. Gentle zephyrs of the evening twilight are laden with songs of their praise, while the sombre shades of night fall to overshadow their demise. They touch the fevered brow with hope, while they sicken the heart of Esculapius. The code of medical ethics lies withered in the dust at our feet, while the doctor still charges one dollar for writing "sodium chloridi and aqua pura," as a gargle for sore throat instead of saying "gargle with salt and water." But the great wonder is the capacity of

A MAN'S STOMACH.

The writer knows a wholesale merchant of Atlanta, Ga., who says he drank twenty-four gallons of one patent medicine ($168 worth) before being convinced that it would not cure him. He had much faith, while his stomach had abundant capacity. Another gentleman suffering with blood poison drank 117 bottles ($200 worth) of a certain patent medicine before he decided that his condition was growing worse. These are solid yet stubborn facts! Suppose you had a severe case of Scrofula and a druggist should say that he had a quick remedy, one bottle of which would effect a cure. You would be apt to call him

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We know a man in Atlanta whose son had a sloughing Scrofulous ulcer of the neck, and the boy was nearly blind and one bottle of a certain patent medicine effected an entire cure. We know a certain editor who had Catarrh and three bottles cured him. A doctor near Atlanta cured a case of Scrofula with one bottle of the same medicine. Another gentleman, hobbling around on two crutches, suffering with Rheumatism, was cured with four bottles. A gentleman at Athens, Ga., had a Scrofulous ulcer of the leg which had been a running sore for fifty years and six bottles cured him. These cases are not myths; they are respectable and well known people, who were cured by the use of that new and wonderful Blood Remedy known as B. B. B. Sold by all druggists. Three bottles for $2.75, or six for $5.00. Expressed anywhere. Address BLOOD BALM CO. Atlanta, Ga. No mineral or vegetable poison. Send for proof of all we say. For particulars consult all druggists.

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CITY TAX.

THERE ARE SOME CITIZENS WHO HAVE failed to give in their City Tax. Unless your tax is given in before you come to pay I cannot wait on you until I have served those who have given in. Your attention to this matter will save you trouble and cost. Books open for payment 1st day of June.

D. A. COOK,
City Tax Receiver and Collector.

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THE DIVORCE MANIA.

A Couple of Interesting Cases Among the Batch of Yesterday.

Judge Hammond yesterday held a section of the superior court, for the special purpose of hearing and disposing of divorce cases. There were some half dozen cases heard and determined. Among the number was

THE RANDALL WRIGHT CASE,

an account of which was published some weeks ago, when a jury refused the romantic plaintiff a disolution of his marital bonds. He moved for a new trial, which was granted, and yesterday the case was reheard before another jury. Colonel Marshal J. Clarke presented the case as before, but fortified it with a couple of letters from the wife, Kate Wright, who resides in Norfolk, Virginia. These letters purported to have been written to Randall H. Wright, the complainant, and were decidedly queer specimens of wifely correspondence. They were full of the vilest language and phrases denoting the basest moral degradation. It is hard to imagine that any woman would pen such dirty papers, but the evidence was plain that they were genuine. A lady who formerly lived in Norfolk testified to the declarations of Mrs. Wright, that she had fired at him with a pistol and intended to kill him. Upon the submission of the case, which was undefended on this trial, Mr. Wright was given his divorce. It is understood that he will go to Kentucky to take a position in business and that the marriage he had arranged for with a Nelson street lady of means has been fully broken off by her.

SHE DIVORCED HERSELF.

Another peculiar case was that of Lucy Pitts vs. George W. Pitts. These parties were of the colored persuasion and the wife complained of the husband's neglect, failure to support, etc. The case was presented ex parte and submitted to the jury. After some consideration it was announced to the court that the jury could not agree. One of the jurymen remarked to the court:

"That woman don't need any divorce. She has been married again for two years."

This sensational declaration resulted in the juror, Mr. John Hoffman, the livery man, being sworn in the case. He testified that George Pitts married Lucy Martin in Griffin about six years ago and that after keeping her here some months she left him because he insisted upon taking her to disreputable places. She returned to her home and about two years ago she re-married. She came back to Atlanta and told Mr. Hoffman she was married again and he learned that her statement was true. This evidence upset the divorce case and Lucy will probably be looked after by the state's officers. What use she had for a formal divorce at this late stage of the proceedings is a decided conundrum.

HOWELL VS. TAYLOR.

In the superior court yesterday, Judge Dorsey presiding, the case of Clark Howell, vs. Zach Taylor was called and occupied the whole day, the court adjourning at 3 o'clock, after having concluded the testimony on both sides. The opening argument, for the plaintiff, was made by Colonel A. B. Culberson The case will be called and it is expected. finished at an early hour this morning. The case is one for rent. Mr. Howell contracted to build for Mr. Taylor a stable and the stipulated rent was to commence from the time of the "completion of the stable." The building was erected on the corner of Forsyth and Hunter streets. Mr. Taylor occupied the building in September, 1881, and has since, on being called on for rent refused any on the ground that the building was not finished, in that no area wall, nor a few other items, had been constructed. The plaintiff claims that when Mr. Taylor occupied the building in 1881 he accepted it as completed, and asks for proper rent since that time, and, furthermore, the dispossession from the building of the tenant for noncompliance with contract in refusing to pay rent. Hopkins & Glenn, for defendant; Hillyer Bros., for plaintiff.

THE LOUISIANA FLOODS.

The Heaviest Rain on Record During the Past Six Days.

COUSHATTA, La., May 26.—The heaviest rains on record have fallen here during the past ten days. The total rainfall since the 1st inst has been nearly 13 inches. The river is higher than for a number of years. It rose 7 inches during the past 24 hours, overflowing plantations and sending stock to the hills. Crops are suffering from continuous rains, and hands are unable to work. The prospects are more gloomy than for years. All the creeks and bayous of any consequence are swelling into immense proportions. Planters and business men are much discouraged. The river at Fulton has risen 12 feet since last Tuesday.

THE FLOOD IN TEXAS.

MILLICAN, Tex., May 26.—Reports from Brazos river are very distressing. There is not alone the destroying of cotton and other crops along the river, but the taking off of fences and the sweeping away of everything within reach of the flood.

TRINITY, Texas, May 26.—Owing to the incessant rains for the past week no trains have run on the Trinity or the Sabine railroad since the 20th, and there are no prospects of their resumption for several days. On the Indianola and Great Northern railroad work has been suspended. Trinity river is still rising at the rate of one inch an hour. It is now over a mile and a half wide at the bridge. Families have been forced to flee for their lives. There has been distressing destruction of crops, stock and improvements. The worst has yet to come.

NEW ORLEANS, May 26.—A Bastrop, La., dispatch says that last Saturday one of the fiercest rain storms that was ever experienced visited that parish, doing incalculable damage to crops. Fenches were washed down and cotton that had been chopped out was literally beaten into the ground.

THREE BLEEDING THROATS.

The Terrible Tragedy Enacted by an Insane Mother.

ST. LOUIS, May 26.—Sunday morning Mrs. Alexander Edmont, of 1,210 South Compton avenue, left her bed about half past 4 o'clock, and going to an adjoining room forced open the desk of her husband and procured a razor. Returning to the bedroom, she cut the throats of her three-months old baby, Guster, and her four-year old daughther, Carrie, and then, passing into the next room she drew the razor across the throat of her little daughter Emma, six years old, but did not make a very deep wound. The child awoke and screamed, which awakened the father, who rushed into the room. While he was caring for the child, his wife went into her own room, lay down beside her dead babies, and cut her throat. A moment or two later the husband, hearing a gurgling sound in his wife's room, looked in, and after gazing a moment at his two dead children rushed into the street for aid. A physician was called, who restored the woman to consciousness and dressed her wounds, which proved not to be necessarily fatal. She lies in the city hospital in a very critical condition. Edmont is a railroad engineer. Two years ago, while living at Poplar Bluff, his wife started for Kromley county, Kansas, to visit relatives, and was found wandering about the union depot in this city, insane. She was sent home, and after treatment there was no return of the malady until now. The child Emma will recover.

Montgomery Itemized.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 26.—[Special].—Charle H. Cromwell, the general agent of the Central railroad of Georgia and the Georgia railroad, after an absence of several months, has returned to Montgomery.

General Jasper Packard, from Iowa, is transferred to this revenue district as general agent in place of Neustadt, who is promoted eastward.

Adjutant-General Gilmer is inspecting the Alabama state troops at Demopolis, Uniontown and Marion. He goes to-morrow to Birmingham, Tuscumbia, Huntsville and Gadsden.

United States marines from Pensacola, commanded by Major Taylor, passed through to-day for Washington.

The Montgomery Sweet Sweepers go to Selma Friday to drill.

General Superintendent Harrahan, General Freight Agent Theo Welch, and General Manager Gabbett, left to-night for the time and rate convention of southern railroads at Atlanta.

Phelan & Beale are organizing a new association among our merchants to consolidate them into a

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THE DIVORCE MANIA.

A Couple of Interesting Cases Among the Batch of Yesterday.

Judge Hammond yesterday held a section of the superior court, for the special purpose of hearing and disposing of divorce cases. There were some half dozen cases heard and determined. Among the number was

THE RANDALL WRIGHT CASE,

an account of which was published some weeks ago, when a jury refused the romantic plaintiff a disolution of his marital bonds. He moved for a new trial, which was granted, and yesterday the case was reheard before another jury. Colonel Marshal J. Clarke presented the case as before, but fortified it with a couple of letters from the wife, Kate Wright, who resides in Norfolk, Virginia. These letters purported to have been written to Randall H. Wright, the complainant, and were decidedly queer specimens of wifely correspondence. They were full of the vilest language and phrases denoting the basest moral degradation. It is hard to imagine that any woman would pen such dirty papers, but the evidence was plain that they were genuine. A lady who formerly lived in Norfolk testified to the declarations of Mrs. Wright, that she had fired at him with a pistol and intended to kill him. Upon the submission of the case, which was undefended on this trial, Mr. Wright was given his divorce. It is understood that he will go to Kentucky to take a position in business and that the marriage he had arranged for with a Nelson street lady of means has been fully broken off by her.

SHE DIVORCED HERSELF.

Another peculiar case was that of Lucy Pitts vs. George W. Pitts. These parties were of the colored persuasion and the wife complained of the husband's neglect, failure to support, etc. The case was presented ex parte and submitted to the jury. After some consideration it was announced to the court that the jury could not agree. One of the jurymen remarked to the court:

"That woman don't need any divorce. She has been married again for two years."

This sensational declaration resulted in the juror, Mr. John Hoffman, the livery man, being sworn in the case. He testified that George Pitts married Lucy Martin in Griffin about six years ago and that after keeping her here some months she left him because he insisted upon taking her to disreputable places. She returned to her home and about two years ago she re-married. She came back to Atlanta and told Mr. Hoffman she was married again and he learned that her statement was true. This evidence upset the divorce case and Lucy will probably be looked after by the state's officers. What use she had for a formal divorce at this late stage of the proceedings is a decided conundrum.

HOWELL VS. TAYLOR.

In the superior court yesterday, Judge Dorsey presiding, the case of Clark Howell, vs. Zach Taylor was called and occupied the whole day, the court adjourning at 3 o'clock, after having concluded the testimony on both sides. The opening argument, for the plaintiff, was made by Colonel A. B. Culberson. The case will be called and it is expected finished at an early hour this morning. The case is one for rent. Mr. Howell contracted to build for Mr. Taylor a stable and the stipulated rent was to commence from the time of the "completion of the stable." The building was erected on the corner of Forsyth and Hunter streets. Mr. Taylor occupied the building in September, 1881, and has since, on being called on for rent refused any on the ground that the building was not finished, in that no area wall, nor a few other items, had been constructed. The plaintiff claims that when Mr. Taylor occupied the building in 1881 he accepted it as completed, and asks for proper rent since that time, and, furthermore, the dispossession from the building of the tenant for noncompliance with contract in refusing to pay rent. Hopkins & Glenn, for defendant; Hillyer Bros., for plaintiff.

THE LOUISIANA FLOODS.

The Heaviest Rain on Record During the Past Six Days.

COUSHATTA, La., May 26.—The heaviest rains on record have fallen here during the past ten days. The total rainfall since the 1st inst has been nearly 13 inches. The river is higher than for a number of years. It rose 7 inches during the past 24 hours, overflowing plantations and sending stock to the hills. Crops are suffering from continuous rains, and hands are unable to work. The prospects are more gloomy than for years. All the creeks and bayous of any consequence are swelling into immense proportions. Planters and business men are much discouraged. The river at Fulton has risen 12 feet since last Tuesday.

THE FLOOD IN TEXAS.

MILLICAN, Tex., May 26.—Reports from Brazos river are very distressing. There is not alone the destroying of cotton and other crops along the river, but the taking off of fences and the sweeping away of everything within reach of the flood.

TRINITY, Texas, May 26.—Owing to the incessant rains for the past week no trains have run on the Trinity or the Sabine railroad since the 20th, and there are no prospects of their resumption for several days. On the Indianola and Great Northern railroad work has been suspended. Trinity river is still rising at the rate of one inch an hour. It is now over a mile and a half wide at the bridge. Families have been forced to flee for their lives. There has been distressing destruction of crops, stock and improvements. The worst has yet to come.

NEW ORLEANS, May 26.—A Bastrop, La., dispatch says that last Saturday one of the fiercest rain storms that was ever experienced visited that parish, doing incalculable damage to crops. Fenches were washed down and cotton that had been chopped out was literally beaten into the ground.

THREE BLEEDING THROATS.

The Terrible Tragedy Enacted by an Insane Mother.

ST. LOUIS, May 26.—Sunday morning Mrs. Alexander Edmont, of 1,210 South Compton avenue, left her bed about half past 4 o'clock, and going to an adjoining room forced open the desk of her husband and procured a razor. Returning to the bedroom, she cut the throats of her three-months old baby, Guster, and her four-year old daughther, Carrie, and then passing into the next room she drew the razor across the throat of her little daughter Emma, six years old, but did not make a very deep wound. The child awoke and screamed, which awakened the father, who rushed into the room. While he was caring for the child, his wife went into her own room, lay down beside her dead babies, and cut her throat. A moment or two later the husband, hearing a gurgling sound in his wife's room, looked in, and after gazing a moment at his two dead children rushed into the street for aid. A physician was called, who restored the woman to consciousness and dressed her wounds, which proved not to be necessarily fatal. She lies in the city hospital in a very critical condition. Edmont is a railroad engineer. Two years ago, while living at Poplar Bluff, his wife started for Kromley county, Kansas, to visit relatives, and was found wandering about the union depot in this city, insane. She was sent home, and after treatment there was no return of the malady until now. The child Emma will recover.

Montgomery Itemized.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 26.—[Special].—Charle H. Cromwell, the general agent of the Central railroad of Georgia and the Georgia railroad, after an absence of several months, has returned to Montgomery.

General Jasper Packard, from Iowa, is transferred to this revenue district as general agent in place of Neustadt, who is promoted eastward.

Adjutant-General Gilmer is inspecting the Alabama state troops at Demopolis, Uniontown and Marion. He goes to-morrow to Birmingham, Tuscumbia, Huntsville and Gadsden.

United States marines from Pensacola, commanded by Major Taylor, passed through to-day for Washington.

The Montgomery Sweet Sweepers go to Selma Friday to drill.

General Superintendent Harrahan, General Freight Agent Theo Welch, and General Manager Gabbett, left to-night for the time and rate convention of southern railroads at Atlanta.

Phelan & Beale are organizing a new association among our merchants to consolidate them into a merchant's exchange.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

General News of Yesterday From the Old World.

England.

LONDON, May 26.—Lord Dufferin has stipulated that if Turkish troops are dispatched to Suakim, English officers must command them, England to pay all expenses and to have sole control during the period of withdrawal of the Turks from the Soudan. The sultan declined this proposition and negotiations are pending for a mixed expedition of English and Turkish troops.

THE ANGLO-FRENCH NEGOTIATIONS.

According to the Pall Mall Gazette France asked that before the meeting of the proposed conference, England should consent to place Egypt under international control. Earl Granville, foreign secretary of state, objected to this so long as the British military occupation of Egypt should continue. At that France asked that the duration of English occupation should be limited, and renewed its demand for an immediate international control. Earl Granville, in answer to this, named five years as a minimum for English occupation, and insisted on a postponement of the proposed international control until after the English had withdrawn from the country, but France steadfastly adhered to its previous demand, until at last Earl Granville offered to consent to the principle of multiple control, provided it should be disguised. France accepted this, caring little for the shadow, but anxious for the substance. France is now trying to limit English occupation to three years. The Pall Mall Gazette denounces the scheme of multiple control, however it may be disguised. "Such a project," it says, "is an anachorism and certain to result in disaster. As long as British soldiers stand alone between Egypt and anarchy, the present contest will hold the purse strings and thereby govern the policy of Egypt." The same paper says the cabinet has decided to accept the French proposals. It will evacuate Egypt within the desired period and allow an international board of supreme authority over Egyptian finances.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 26.—A serious railway accident has occurred near Bologne. The rails had been awfully loosened by unknown persons. This caused the Moscow express to leave the track, and the engine, luggage van and three passenger carriages were thrown down the embankment. One person was killed and seventeen intured. Among the latter was the vice governor of Orel. The Grand Duke Gergins, who was travelling along this line, reached the scene soon after the accident occurred.

France.

PARIS, May 26.—About 150 persons, including several women, deposited wreaths of red immortelles upon the graves of the communists in the cemetery of Pere La Chaise yesterday morning. In the afternoon several thousands, mostly sight-seers, visited the cemetery. Many red and black flags were displayed. Several speeches were made, and cries of "Vive La Commune" were raised.

The race for the jockey club prize took place at Chantilly yesterday. Seven horses started. The race was won by Little Duck, Archiduc second, Fra Diavolo third.

Egypt.

CAIRO, May 26.—Ten messengers are on their way to Khartoum, and others will be sent via Dongola. A thousand rifles have been sent to the governor of Dongola, whose loyatty is established.

The rebels have captured Debbeh.

CLIFFORD LLOYD WILL NOT RETURN.

Clifford Lloyd, under secretary of the interior, who has been absent from Cairo several days, will not return. M. C. Barrenech, diplomatic agent, has started for France. Nubar Pasha, the prime minister, insists that no Europeans shall be employed by the ministry of the interior. Clifford Lloyd's nominees will be dismissed. The resignation of Abd El Kahder Pasha, minister of war and of the Under Secretary Nashoot, are considered imminent.

The sultan has refused to send 10,000 troops to the Soudan to cooperate with the English.

The friendly tribes around Suakim are clamoring for arms and stores, in order to wreak vengeance against Osman Digna.

Advices from Berber and Khartoum represent that both towns are in satisfactory condition.

Spain.

MADRID, May 26.—The floods in the southeastern provinces about Murcia and Alicante, are growing alarming. Whole towns have been cut off and the crops over a large extent of country have been completely destroyed. Many families have been rendered homeless. Gendearms and sailors are conveying provisions to the destitude and making every effort to rescue such of the inhabitants as are in danger. The inundation exceeds that of 1879.

General Foreign News.

M'lle Columbi erre has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment in Paris for her obscene publication about Sara Bernhardt.

The earl of Conavan has written to the papers concerning state aided emigration. He sympathizes with the dissatifaction in America in regard to the emigration of paupers, and suggests that every precaution be taken to insure a careful choice of emigrants.

THE WEEK'S FAILURES.

What Bradstreet and Dun's Commercial Agencies Say About Financial Troubles.

Business failures of the last week reported to R. G. Dun & Co., number for the United States 212 and for Canada 20; total 232 against 202 last week, an increase of 23 failures. The increase is pretty evenly distributed among the middle, western and Pacific states, but there is considerable decrease to note in Canada and in New York city.

The following are some of the troubles in Atlanta's territory:

ALABAMA.

Columbianna—H. L. and E. B. Nelson, general store, assigned.

Mobile—McInnes & Dantzler, general store, failed.

FLORIDA.

Green Cove Springs—C. H. Moss, fruit, failed.

Pensacola—Jones, Wells & Co., hardware, failed.

GEORGIA.

Villa Rica—H. L. Stevens, grocer, failed.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Clinton—G. W. Marsh, general store, failed and assigned.

Greenston—S. D. McLean & Co., groceries, failed and out of business.

Rich Square—T. J. Copeland, general store, failed.

Townesville—W. D. Burrell, general store, assigned.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Marion—Julius Brown, general store, closed by sheriff.

TENNESSEE.

Bellbuckle—W. L. Garner, general store, assigned.

Brownsville—H. Orr, butcher and grocer, attached.

Winchester—H. P. Henderson, general store, attached by creditors of M. M. Henderson.

Bradstreet Budget.

There were 183 failures and suspensions in the United States reported to Bradstreet's during the past week, against 187 in the preceeding week, and 155, 125 and 97 in the corresponding weeks of 1882, 1883 and 1881, respectively.

About 73 per cent were those of small traders whose capital was less than $5,000. The following were the important suspensions during the week: W. B. Scott & Co., bankers and brokers, C. McCulloch Beecher & Co. and Benner & Pinkney, shipping and commission, New York City; Planters & Mechanics' bank, Petersburg, Va.; Brennan & Co., bankers, Charlottesville, Va.; Ellett, Drewry & Co., wholesale dry goods, and S. Blanchard, wholesale grocer, Richmond, Va.; Erie County Savings bank, Erie, Pa.; L. F. Phelps, banker, Westfield, New York. In the principal trades they were as follows: Grocers, 25; general stores, 23; shoes, 12, clothing 12; liquors, 12; manufacturers, 10; tobacco and cigars, 7; millinery, 6; drugs, 5; dry goods, 5; jewelry, 5; grain and flour, 4; hotels and restaurants, 4; stationers, etc., 4; oil brokers, 1; bankers, 3; banks, 3; stockbrokers, 3; carriages and wagons, 3; coal and wood, 3; commission, 3; fancy goods, 3; hardware and agricultural implements, 3; oils and paints, 3; produce and provisions, 3; brewers and maltsters, 2; furniture, 2; hats and caps, 2; hides and leather, 2; harness, 2; lumber, 2; men's furnishing goods, 2; rubber goods, 2; shipping and commission, 2.

The failures in the states whose trade is tributary to Atlanta, are as follows:

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville—H. Weiskoff, asks an extension.

GEORGIA.

Darien—S. Steinshine, general store, assigned.

Macon—R. B. Evans, grocer, sold out.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Ridge Spring—C. L. Patrick, general store, assigned to J. H. Tucker and reported offering 25 cents.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Florence—C. Phillips & Son, general store, offer 30 cents. Liabilities $15,930; assets $14,775.

TENNESSEE.

Union City—W. H. Knorr & Co., saloon, attached and sold out by a creditor. Liabilities $3,000; assets $2,000.

CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

A Mississippi Murderer Sentenced to Death.

HAZELHURST, Miss., May 26.—Argument on the motion for a new trial in the case of Dr. Robt. G. Penn, convicted of having murdered R. G. Rials, on April 8th last, was commenced Saturday morning, and had continued several hours when it was discovered that the prisoner was not present, whereupon the sheriff brought him from jail and argument was begun anew, continuing until a late hour. The motion for a new trial was overruled, and the prisoner was sentenced to be hanged on the ninth of July. The case will be appealed to the supreme court.

BOWLING GREEN, May 26.—George Anderson, a farmer, aged 75 years, was beaten to death with a hickory cane by his wife, aged 66. His head was beaten to a jelly. Mrs. Anderson, who is a large and powerful woman, has been twice confined in the insane asylum, and was evidently insane when the deed was done.

HOWARD, Ala., May 26.—E. A. Cameron, residing at Shatsa, was assassinated Saturday night. Young Cameron who is in the employ of his father in the timber business, was attending to his duties in a log camp when, without any warning, he was fired upon through the window and literally riddled with buckshot, dying almost instantly.

BELLE PLAIN, Ia., May 26.—Samuel Dunlap to-day shot his wife three times and then cut his own throat, falling dead across her body.

AN ALABAMA TRAGEDY.

A Negro Cuts the Throat of a White Man From Ear to Ear.

OPELIKA, Ala., May 26.—[Special.]—Yesterday afternoon, at Uchee, Russell county, Ala., a negro named Tony Halster attacked Mr. Clem Wynn in his own yard and cut his throat from ear to ear, killing him instantly. The black fiend then fled, and at last accounts had not been captured, though a large number of indignant citizens are on his track, and it is thought that he will soon be in the clutches of the law. Mr. Wynn was an honest, peaceable and quiet citizen, about 40 years of age, and leaves a heart broken wife and nine weeping children to mourn his terrible and untimely death.

Almost Roasted to Death.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 26.—[Special.]—A white man, J. W. Willis, aged 63, a carpenter by trade, who came here from New York, several months ago, was found lying on the commons, South Anderson street, shortly after midnight in a truly pitiable condition. His clothes were on fire, and his left side and back was fearfully burned. He was utterly helpless and had to be lifted to a wagon by a policeman and carried to a hospital. He states that he was awake and laid down to rest and supposes some matches in his pocket were ignited, and set his clothes afire and was unable to extinguish the flames or move. His condition is very critical.

Death of Aged Citizen.

COLUMBUS, Ga., May 26.—Special.—Yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, after a long and lingering illness, Mr. Thomas Moore breathed his last. Mr. Moore had passed the three score and ten years allotted to man, and had spent most of his life in this city. Long years ago he was teller in the old Columbus bank. In 1869 he was elected clerk of the city market, which position he occupied until about a year since, when his feeble health caused him to give up his labors and spend the evening of his days in the peaceful quietude of his own home. His funeral took place at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Death of Bob Burdett's Wife.

PHILADELPHIA, May 26.—Mrs. Caroline Spaulding Burdett, wife of Robert J. Burdett, editor of the Burlington Hawkeye, died to-day at Ardmore, Pa. She had been an invalid for several years, suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

FLETCHER—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fletcher are invited to attend the funeral of their daughter Maggie, from the family residence on McDonough road, to-day at 10 o'clock.

KERNODLE—The friends and acquaintances of Mrs. V. Kernodle and family are requested to attend the funeral of the former at her late residence on Capitol avenue at city limits to-day at three o'clock p. m. May 27th, 1884.

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By order of the Board of Directors.

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CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, May 26, 1884.

STATE AND CITY BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Ga. 6s	105	106	Atlanta 7s	108	110
Ga. 7s, 1886	105	106	Atlanta 6s	100	102
Ga. 7s gold	111	113	Augusta 7s	108	111
Ga. 7s, 1896	117	120	Augusta 6s	102	104
S.C.(Brown)	102	104	Macon 6s	106	107
Savannah 5s	90	92	Rome, new	95	100
Atlanta 8s	114	116	Columbus 5s	82	85

ATLANTA BANK STOCK.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Atlanta Na'l	200	210	B'k State of Ga.	100	
M'ch'ts B'k	100	105	Gate City Nat.	109	

RAILROAD BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Ga. R. 7s	104	106	Atlanta & Char. inc. 6s	55	58
Ga. R. 6s	104	106			
Cent. R. 7s	108	110	Atlantic & G. con	108	110
C. C. & A. 1st	106	108	E. T., V. & G. inc. 6s	28	30
At.&Char.1st	102	104			

RAILROAD STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Georgia	155	157	Central	85	87
At. & Char.	65	68	Aug. & Sav.	115	117
South.we'tern	114	116	A. & W. P.	95	100
South C'lina.	20	25	C. C. & A.	28	30

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stocks as Reported in the New York Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The week at the stock exchange opened with a decided pressure to sell dividend-paying stocks, while non-dividend payers were comparatively neglected. Northwest and Lackawanna were particularly weak and declined 2¼ per cent each; Jersey Central fell off 2⅛ per cent; Illinois Central 1¾, New York Central 1⅜, Lake Shore ⅞, Western Union 1. Before first call Missouri Pacific, Western Union and Union Pacific developed strength, which checked the downward movement; Missouri Pacific rose 1 per cent, Western Union ⅞ and Union Pacific 1½. Other active shares rallied ½@1¼, but subsequently Lackawanna became very weak and dropped to 90½; this break had but little effect on the general list, which declined only ⅛@⅞ in sympathy. At 11:30 a. m. the market was better again under the leadership of Lackawanna. The brokers most prominent in depressing this stock in early dealings were afterwards conspicuous buyers. The stock rose to 93, and other active shares moved up ¼@2⅛; New Jersey Central and Northern Pacific preferred rose 2⅝, Pacific Mail 1⅝, Reading 2⅛, Texas Pacific ⅞, Central Pacific 1⅞, Quincy 2⅛, Northwest 2¼, St. Paul 1⅞, Louisville and Nashville ⅝, Lake Shore 1¼, Michigan Central and Missouri Pacific 2⅝, Rock Island 2¼, Illinois Central 1¾. The market continued active and strong until after noon, when there was a more quiet feeling and a reaction of ½@⅝ in prices. After delivery hour there was a rush to cover, which resulted in a rise in prices of 1@6⅞ per cent, as compared with the lowest point of the day. It was reported on the board that $5,000,000 of government bonds had been transferred from W. H. to W. K. Vanderbilt. The street accepted this as meaning that Vanderbilt shares would secure a better support in the future. The market closed strong at the best prices of the day. Delaware and Hudson rose from 89½ to 95, ex-dividend. Compared with Saturday's closing, Lackawanna was 3⅛ per cent higher, Quincy 4¼, St. Paul 2½, Northwest 1⅛, preferred 1, Lake Shore 2⅝, Missouri Pacific preferred 3⅞, Pacific Mail 1, Reading 1⅞, Omaha preferred 2¾, Union Pacific 3, Western Union 1½, and the remainder of the active list ⅛@⅞, Michigan Central 3 lower. The market continues in a heavy, over-sold condition. Sales 434,000 shares.

Exchange 483½. Money —. Sub-treasury balances: Coin $128,212,600; currency $10,572,000. Governments irregular; 4s 120⅝; 3s 100¼. State bonds quiet.

Ala. Class A 2 to 5	81	Mobile & Ohio	8
do. Class B 5s	100	A. & C.	68
Ga. 6s	†104	N. O. Pac firsts	72
Ga. 7s mortgage	†103	N. Y. Central	108
North Carolinas	†30	Norfolk & W'n pre.	30
do. new	†18	Northern Pac	19½
do. funding	†10	do. preferred	45¼
S. C. con. Brown	†105¾	Pacific Mail	37½
Tennessee 6s	36½	Reading	27¾
Virginia 6s	†40	Rich. & Allegheny	2
Virginia consols	†38	Richmond & Dan.	†40
Chesap'ke & Ohio	7½	Rich. & W. P. Ter'l.	19
Chicago & N. W.	96⅞	Rock Island	111
do. preferred	125	St. Paul	69¼
Den & Rio Grande	4⅛	do. preferred	106
Erie	15	Texas Pacific	13¼
East Tenn. R. R.	4½	Union Pacific	41
Lake Shore	84¼	Wab. St. L. & Pac.	6⅞
L. & N.	31½	do. preferred	13½
Memphis & Char.	25	Western Union	55¾
†Bid ‡Ex-dividend		*Offered §Asked	

THE COTTON MARKETS.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, May 26, 1884.

New York—Cotton steady and without material change. Spots ruling at former prices; middling 11⅝c.

Net receipts for two days to 2,612 bales, against 9,275 bales last year; exports 11,478 bales; last year 27,354 bales; 476,894 bales; last year 524,260 bales.

Below we give the opening and closing quotations of cotton futures in New York to-day:

OPENED.		CLOSED.	
[illegible]		[illegible]	
July	11.80@	July	11.83@11.84
August	11.93@	August	11.95@
September	11.71@11.74	September	11.74@11.75
October	11.21@	October	11.24@11.25
November	11.01@	November	11.02@11.03
December	11.00@	December	11.02@11.03
January	@	January	11.09@11.11
February	11.16@11.18	February	11.20@11.22

Closed firm; sales 67,000 bales.

Liverpool.—Futures closed easy. Spots—Uplands 6¾d; Orleans 6½d; sales 18,000 bales, of which 11,000 bales were American; receipts none.

Local—Cotton nominal at the following quotations: Good middling 11⅝c; middling 11⅛@11¼c; strict low middling 11c; low middling 11⅛c; strict good ordinary 10⅞c; tinges 11⅛c; stains 9¼@9⅝c.

The following is our statement of receipts and shipments for to-day:

RECEIPTS.

By wagon	—
Air-Line Railroad	—
Georgia Railroad	—
Central Railroad	—
Western and Atlantic Railroad	—
West Point Railroad	—
E. Tenn., Va. and Ga. Railroad	—
Georgia Pacific Railroad	—
Total	
Receipts previously	146,064
Total	146,064
Stock September 1	3,441
Grand total	149,505

SHIPMENTS.

Shipments to-day	
Shipments previously	134,095
Local consumption since September 1	9,542
Total	143,637
Stock on hand	5,868

NEW YORK, May 26—The Post's cotton market report says: Future deliveries were neglected and left to the operations of so-called scalpers, who work the market up and down to gain a few points. After a slight advance prices fell 6@4-100. Stress is laid by the bears upon the fact that New York stock is 104,000 bales larger than last year at this time, but they seem to forget the deficiency at the southern depots, which amounts to 51,000 bales, and a deficiency at the interior towns of 67,000 bales; also that very little is now to be expected from plantations, and that the next crop will probably be a late one; moreover purchases for export are daily diminishing New York stock in addition to what has recently been taken and is in course of shipment. The third call showed an improved demand and slightly higher bids, but sellers were indifferent and sold only 200 bales September at 11.70 and 100 October at 11.20; bids were refused of 11.56 for May, 11.58 June, 11.77 July, 11.90 August, 10.98 November and December. Futures closed firm, May 5-100 higher than last Saturday, June 2-100 and the balance 3@4-100 higher."

By Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, May 26—Noon—Cotton steady at full rates; middling uplands 6⅝; middling Orleans 6½; sales 18,000 bales; speculation and export 3,000; receipts none; uplands low middling clause May and June delivery 6 23-64, 6 24-64; June and July delivery 6 23-64, 6 24-64; July and August delivery 6 28-64; August and September delivery 6 31-64, 6 32-64; September and October delivery 6 29-64, 6 30-64, 6 29-64; October and November delivery 6 17-64; December and January delivery 6 12-64, 6 13-64; futures opened quiet with little doing.

LIVERPOOL, May 26—2:00 p. m.—Sales of American 11,000 bales; uplands low middling clause May delivery 6 24-64; May and June delivery 6 24-64; June and July delivery 6 24-64; July and August delivery 6 28-64; August and September delivery 6 32-64; September and October delivery 6 30-64; October and November delivery 6 17-64; November and December delivery 6 12-64; September delivery 6 35-64.

LIVERPOOL, May 26—4:00 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause May delivery 6 23-64; May and June delivery 6 23-64; June and July delivery 6 23-64; July and August delivery 6 28-64; August and September delivery 6 32-64; September and October delivery 6 29-64; October and November delivery 6 16-64; November and December delivery 6 12-64; September delivery 6 34-64; futures closed easy.

NEW YORK, May 26—Cotton firm; sales 2,605 bales; middling uplands 11⅝; middling Orleans 11⅞; net receips none; gross 209; consolidated net receipts 2,107; exports to Great Britain 5,429; to continent 476.

GALVESTON, May 26—Cotton quiet; middling 11½; net receipts 554 bales; gross 554; sales 134; stock 5,817; exports coastwise 536.

NORFOLK, May 26—Cotton firm; middling 11¼; net receipts 197 bales; gross 197; stock 1,946; sales 175; exports coastwise 155.

WILMINGTON, May 26—Cotton dull; middling 11⅛; net receipts 4 bales; gross 4; sales none; stock 1,571.

SAVANNAH, May 26—Cotton dull and nominal; middling 11⅛; net receipts 266 bales; gross 266; sales 75; stock 2,214; exports coastwise 1.

NEW ORLEANS, May 26—Cotton quiet and steady; middling 11⅛; net receipts 828 bales; gross 1,149; sales 800; stock 112,236.

MOBILE, May 26—Cotton dull and nominal; middling 11⅛; net receipts 42 bales; gross 42; sales none; gross 7,347; exports coastwise 84.

MEMPHIS, May 26—Cotton steady; middling 11½; net receipts 213; shipments 659; sales 300; stock 22,945.

AUGUSTA, May 26—Cotton quiet; middling 11½; net receipt 14 bales; shipments —; sales 36.

CHARLESTON, May 26—Cotton nominal; middling 11⅛; net receipts 3 bales; gross 3; sales none; stock 3,313; exports coastwise 13.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Features of the Speculative Movements in Grain and Produce.

By telegraph to The Constitution.

CHICAGO, May 26—The market dragged during the morning session. Trading was accompanied by a feeling of depression, and the price of wheat fell off steadily. Toward the close of the morning session, and particularly on the afternoon board there was a revival of strength, and the market closed moderately strong. July wheat sold at one time during the morning at 88⅝c, rose to 89⅞c, fell off and closed at 89¼c. On the afternoon board it sold up to 90⅛c and closed at 90¼c, June at 88c and August at 90⅞c.

Trading in corn was fair, and the market ruled firm during most of the session; opened weaker, declined ⅜, rose 1, eased off a trifle, and closed ½c higher than Saturday. On the afternoon board there was a further appreciation of values. Closing prices were 55⅛ June, 57 July, 58⅛ August.

There was a large shipping movement in oats, and prices were firm. On the board the closing prices were 31½ June, 32 July, 28¼ August.

Pork was only in moderate demand and prices declined 10@15, but rallied again on the evening board. The closing was 18.55 for June and July, and 18.45 August.

Lard was quiet and nominally unchanged, closing at 8.15 June, 8.32½ July and 8.45 August.

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, May 26, 1884.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

ATLANTA, May 15—Market quiet. Corn generally firm. No strictly sound white milling offering. A supply will arrive soon. Flour—Patent process $7.25@$7.75; fancy $6.25; extra family $5.75@$6.00; family $5.25@$5.50; extra $4.75@$5.00. Wheat—No. 2 red $1.20@$1.23. Corn—We quote white milling, car lots bulk, 82c; do. sacked 85c; dray lots 90c; mixed, car lots bulk, 75c; do. sacked 78c; dray lots 83c. Corn Meal—85@90c. Stock Feed—$1.35 ₩ 100 lbs. Oats—Car lots bulk 47c; do. sacked 49½c; dray lots 53c. Rye—None. Wheat Bran—Car lots sacked $1.10; dray lots $1.15@$1.17½. Grits $5.85 ₩ bbl.

BALTIMORE, May 26—Flour steady and quiet; Howard street and western superfine $2.75@$3.50; extra $3.62@$4.62; family $4.75@$5.85; city mills superfine $3.00@$3.50; extra $3.65@$4.75; Rio brands $5.62@$5.75. Wheat, southern quiet and steady; western lower, closing dull; southern red $1.08@$1.10; amber $1.10@$1.13; No. 1 Maryland $1.11 bid; No. 2 western winter red spot $1.02@$1.02½. Corn, southern steady; western dull but firmer; southern white 67@70; yellow 59@61.

NEW YORK, May 26—Flour, southern dull and weak; common to fair extra $2.70@$4.80; good to choice $4.85@$6.50. Wheat, spot a shade stronger; ungraded red 79@$1.03½; do. white $1.16; No. 2 red June $1.01@$1.02⅝. Corn, spot ½c higher; ungraded 50@63½; do. white 67; No. 2 May 61⅞@63⅝; June 61⅜@63⅜. Oats, spot ½@1c lower, closing steadier; No. 2 36⅛. Hops quiet; new 18@27.

CHICAGO, May 26—Flour unchanged. Wheat, regular opened ⅛@¾c lower but closed ½@¼c over Saturday; May 85⅞@86⅞; June 85⅞@87⅞; No. 2 Chicago spring 86@86⅞. Corn moderately firm; opened weak and declined ⅜c but rallied and closed ½c over Saturday: cash 53⅞@54½; June 53¾@54⅞. Oats steady; cash 30¾@31; June 30⅞@31⅝.

CINCINNATI, May 26—Flour steady; family $4.50@$4.80; fancy $5.10@$5.40. Wheat in fair demand; No. 2 red winter $1.02@$1.03. Corn easier; No. 2 mixed 58@58½. Oats dull and lower; No. 2 mixed 35.

ST. LOUIS, May 26—Flour unchanged. Wheat, No. 2 red fall $1.1½ cash; $1.08 June. Corn higher but inactive; No. 2 mixed 51¾@53 cash; 51¾@51⅝ June. Oats higher but slow; 33@33¼ cash; 32¾ bid June.

LOUISVILLE, May 26—Wheat steady; No. 2 red [illegible]

Do you Smoke?

The very large sale of Duke Cigarettes is caused by their being the finest and purest article that can be manufactured, which we have advertised to be retailed 10 for 5 cents or twenty for 10 cents. These prices pay the retailers a fair, living but not an exhorbitant profit. Owing to this immense sale of Duke cigarettes, many manufacturers are now placing upon the market, very inferior goods, made by machines out of common or trashy tobacco, doctored & adulterated to make them present a decent appearance. These are furnished to the dealers at from ten to forty per-cent less than the Duke, with the hope & expectation that the dealers will substitute them for the Duke cigarette and at same price to the smoker.

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Yours sincerely

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Groceries.

ATLANTA, May 25—Coffee—Rio 10½@13; old government Java 25c. Sugars—Standard A 7¼c; granulated 7⅝c; white extra C 7@7¼c; New Orleans sugars, yellow clarified 6½@7¼c; white 7¼c. Molasses—Black strap in bbls 29c. Syrup—New Orleans choice 50c; prime 45c; fair 35@40c; common 30c. Teas—Black 40@60c; green 40@60c. Nutmegs 80c. Cloves 25c. Allshice 10c. Cinnamon 25c. Sago 50c. African ginger 16c. Mace 80c. Pepper 18c. Crackers—Milk 8c; Boston butter 8½c; pearl oyster 7c; X soda 6c; XXX do. 7½c. Candy—Assorted stick 10c. Mackerel—Market about bare of 1s and 2s; No. 3 kits, L.W., 60c; do. ½ bbls, 80 lbs, $3.50@$3.75; do. ½ bbls, 100 lbs, $4.50. Soap $2.50@@$7.00 ₩ 100 cakes. Candles—Full weight 15½c. Matches—100 ₩ box $1.75; 200 $3.50; 300 $4.75. Soda, in kegs, 4¾c; in boxes 5¾@6½c. Rice 6@7c.

NEW YORK, May 26—Coffee, spot fair Rio dull and nominal at 10½; No. 7 Rio spot 8.65; June 8.10@8.15. Sugar dull and weak; fair to good refining 5 1-16@5 3-16; refined unchanged; C 5⅛@5¼; extra C 6⅜@6½; white extra C 5⅝@5¾; yellow 4⅞@5; off A 5⅞@6⅛; mould A 6⅞; standard A 6⅜; confectioners A 6¾; cut loaf 7⅝@7¾; crushed 7⅝@7¾; powdered 7¼@7½; granulated 6⅞; Cubes 7⅝. Molasses dull; Cuba refining 22; New Orleans 35@51. Rice quiet; domestic 5¼@7; rangoon 4⅞.

CINCINNATI, May 26—Sugar quiet; hards refined 7¼@7¾; New Orleans 5½@6½.

CHICAGO, May 26—Sugar, standard A 6⅞@7; cut loaf 7½@7⅝; granulated 7½@7⅝.

Provisions.

CHICAGO, May 26—Pork declined 10@15c and closed steady; cash $18.90@$18.25; June $18.40@$18.40. Lard declined 5@7½c and closed steady; cash 8.22½@8.25; June 8.10@8.17½. Bulk meats in fair demand; shoulders 6.15; short rib 8.15; short clear 8.55.

LOUISVILLE, May 26—Provisions quiet; mess pork $18.00. Bulk meats, shoulders 6; clear ribs 8⅝; clear sides 8⅞. Bacon, houlders 7; clear ribs 9; clear sides 9½; hams, sugar-cured 12½. Lard, steam leaf 10.

NEW YORK, May 26—Pork quiest but held firmly; old mess spot $17.00. Middles nominal; long clear 8¾. Lard opened a trifle lower but afterwards recovered, closing firm; contract grade spot 8.35; June 8.34.

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Wines, Liquors, Etc.

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Fruits and Confectioneries.

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Country Produce.

ATLANTA, May 26—Eggs—15c. Butter—Jersey 30@32c; Tennessee 20@25c. Live Poultry—Chickens 25@30c; hens 28@30c; cocks 22@25c; ducks 25c. Irish Potatoes—New $2.50@$4.00 ₩ bbl; old $1.75@$2.00. Sweet Potatoes—None and no demand. Dried Fruit—Dull with season about over; peaches, peeled 6@10c; no demand; unpeeled 5@7c; sundried apples 6@7c; evaporated not wanted. Honey—Strained 11@12½c; in the comb 15c; dull. Onions—Yellow Danvers $3.25@$3.50; red $3.00@$3.25. Cabbage—3@4c. Feathers—Choice 54@60; prime 50@55. Cheese [illegible]

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Important Meeting.

The watermelon boom is upon us. An unusually propitious season has brought untold millions of melons in south Georgia and Florida to an early maturity, and arrangements will have to be made at once for their transportation north and west. A meeting will be held here to-day to arrange rates and other matters for the melon movement during the season just opening. Quite a number of prominent railroad men interested in the traffic will be present, among them R G Fleming, general superintendent Savannah, Florida and Western railway; G. A. Mallory, superintendent Brunswick division East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia; I. W. Fry, superintendent Atlanta division East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia; R. A. Anderson, superintendent Western and Atlantic William Rogers, superintendent of Central; T. D. Kline, superintendent Southwestern railroad, and several others. It is confidently expected that the result of the meeting will be such as to greatly encourage the melon growers.

A Wreck on the East Tennessee.

From the Dalton, Georgia, Argus.

A westward bound freight train on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad, was wrecked at the stone bridge above Dalton last Friday night week. The train was running under orders ahead of the night passenger train from Cohutta to Dalton, and at a very rapid speed. Several of the cars became detached from the train coming down the heavy grade, and gained such speed that they could not be checked, and struck the front of the train at a speed of forty miles an hour. Nine cars were completely demolished and two or three thrown into the creek. A car load of sheep and cattle were killed, and all but four of a car load of horses. Coal and general merchandise were scattered in every direction. Watt Weatherly was on board, and says he thought his time had come. No one was seriously hurt, though several jumped from the bouncing cars. All trains were delayed till 1 o'clock next day. The damage will probably amount to $25,000.

The Greenville Branch.

From the Meriwether Vindicator.

The railroad route is finally located into Greenville, the work being completed Wednesday afternoon about sunset. The depot and side tracks were laid off Thursday morning. The route is substantially the same as that indicated by us last week. From Colonel Harris's plantation, five miles south of Greenville, the road runs near Mr. Threadgills, crossing Bluff creek between a quarter and a half mile above the ford on the Talbotton road, thence on near the Kendall homestead, striking the south branch and crossing the Talbotton road north of the branch, curving round the hill, and recrossing the Talbotton road at the ford, at the Render creek, curving round the hill to the west of the cabins, the ginhouse, the woods on the town hill, crossing the Tanyard branch at the southeast corner of Mrs. Porch's lot, striking Dr. Terrell's Swift lot at the southwest corner, and going due east across the Talbotton road. The depot will be on the eastern side of the Swift lot, about 75 yards above the southeast corner. The track runs across the Talbotton road only to give room to bring the train and passenger coaches to the depot.

About two miles of the road were graded up to last Saturday, including two cuts on each side of Mr. Bob Crawford's mill pond. These cuts are from ten to twelve feet deep, and each about 160 yards long. This week a trestle will span the pond, the cross ties and rails be placed down, and the construction train will then run to Crawford's mill, two miles from Chipley. The grading here will be the heaviest on the line until Greenville is neared. One hundred and ninety hands were at work last Saturday. The number is being increased each week, so that the work will progress more rapidly in the future.

We understand that some of the awards claimed to have been made in favor of land owners against the railroad between Chipley and Sulphur springs were brought to Greenville last Saturday and Monday in order to be recorded. Damages were assessed at from fifteen, twenty or twenty-five dollars per acre, when the same lands are rated on the tax books by the owners at from three to four dollars per acre.

The Man and the Monkey.

Once upon a time a man and a monkey chanced to meet on the highway.

"Hello, my long tailed friend," asked the man, "whither art thou going?"

"Bound for de city," replied the monkey.

"Glad to hear it," replied the man.

"I am going there, too, and we will travel together and be of mutual benefit in case of danger."

The monkey grinned assent, and both wended their way.

"What ails you?" asked the man; "I see you are a sufferer, and can scarcely get along."

"Oh, you see," replied the monkey, "my mudder, she had what you call scrofula, very and very much scrofula, my farder, he had heap sores, some big, some little sores, long time. They both took much medicine, and when they died the sores was all they left me."

"Yes, yes," replied the man. "I see how it is. Your mother inherited her disease, scrofula, and your father caught his on the wing, and you inherited or was born with both complaints. But why pine away and die when you can be cured."

"I been done used over sixty bottles one drug store medicine, and it no good. Money all gone and sore here yet. Some doctors charge heap money, but no good."

"But my friend," said the man, "you got hold of the wrong medicine. Go to the drug store and get one bottle of B. B. B. and before using all of it you will feel better. It is a quick cure. It will cure all sorts of sores, Scrofula, Blood Poison caught on the wing, Itching Humors, Catarrh, Blood and Skin diseases and Kidney Troubles."

"I be so thankful for your kindness, and will go get B. B. B. to-day," replied the monkey.

Better Late Than Never.

"Don't put off until tomorrow what can be and should be done today," is wise. If you have never used SOZODONT for your teeth, make a bee line to the druggist and get a bottle and begin its use at once. "Verb sap."

Letter From Senator H. C. Nelson.

SENATE CHAMBER,
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Four cold storage warehouses are going up in New York with pipes running to butcher shops to furnish cold air.

The William Penn pension fund in London, which amounted to £40,000 yearly, was commuted to £67,000.

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INCOMPARABLE IN SICK HEADACHE.

Dr. Fred Horner, Jr., Salem, Virginia, says: "To relieve the indigestion and so-called sick headache and mental depression incident to certain stages of rheumatism, it is incomparable."

Work is progressing on the Yorktown monument. A wharf has been built to land the material, and a temporary railroad track is being constructed from there to the site of the monument.

Keep the kidneys healthy, by pure circulation, which St. Jacob's Oil produces, and there is no danger of Brights' disease.

Straw hats and linen dusters will not be so very popular as heretofore; Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, however, will be as popular as ever.

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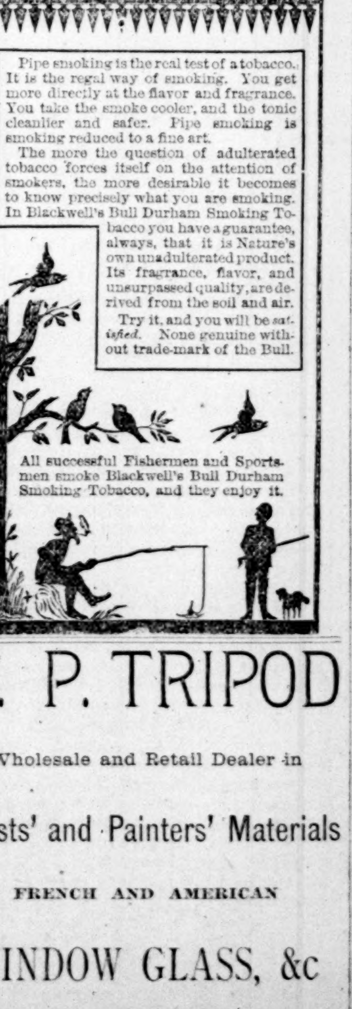

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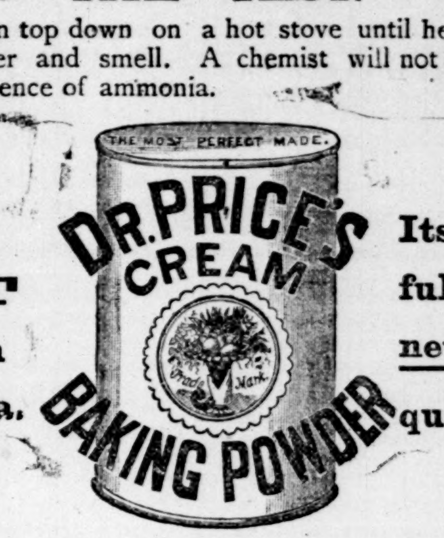

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FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S SALES FOR State and County tax, for the years 1882 and 1883.—Will be sold before the court house door, in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday in June next (1884), within the legal hours of sale, the following property, to wit:

One steam engine, supposed to be 18 horse power, marked C. & G. Cooper & Co. Also, one saw mill (or frame) and fixtures. The above described property in the warehouse of S F Perkins, Alabama street, near Forsyth, in the city of Atlanta. Levied on as the property of C & G Cooper & Co., for State and County tax for the year 1883.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Pulliam street in the 2 ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Griffin and Thomas, part of land lot No 76, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 50x50 feet more or less; as the property of Jas F Werner, agt.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Jones and Mangum streets in the 5 ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Wilson & Church, part of land lot No 82, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 50x100 feet more or less; as the property of Est Jane White.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Tatnall street, in the 1st ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Marshall and Akridge, part of lot No 84, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing ¼ acre more or less. As the property of John M. Bookout.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Luckie and Mills streets, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of South and Hodgson, part of land lot No 79, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing ¼ acre more or less. As the property of Lewis H. Buis.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Baker street, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Harris and Sullivan, part of land lot No. 78, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 3-16 acre more or less; as the property of J. D. Fagan.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Scott and Mills street, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of H H Tucker, part of land lot No 79, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 90x160 feet more or less. As the property of T B and Mrs A B Goulding.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Marietta, Jones and Railroad street in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of J F Grady est., part of land lot No 79, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing ¾ acre more or less. As the property of Frank Mills, trustee.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Plum street in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of McNeely & Mayson, part of land lot No. 79, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing ⅛ acre, more or less: as the property of Robert H Jenkins.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Reid and Crumley street, in the 3d ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Mary Cooley and G W Lee, part of land lot No 53, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 1-0x90 feet more or less, as the property of Mrs Agnes McDevitt.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Foster street, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Johnson and Simpson, part of land lot No 45, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 40x150 feet more or less. As the property of Wm H Howell.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Walton and Forsyth street, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Henry Seltzer and an alley, part of land lot No 78, 14th district of Fulton county Ga, containing 75x85 feet more or less. As the property of O A Lochrane.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Lovejoy and Orchard street, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining property of Dr Rodgers, part of land lot No 79, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 50x120 feet more or less. As the property of A L Harris, agent.

Also, at the same time and place, a lot on Martin, Connally and Love streets, in the 3d ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Reynolds & Martin Nally, part of land lot No. 54, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing ½ acre, more or less. As the property of S. M. Nealon.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Williams street, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Smith and Pemcan, part of land lot No. 78, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 50x90 feet, more or less. As the property of Daniel Pitchford.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Forsyth and Luckie street, in the 5th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Phillips and Boyd, part of land lot No 78, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 50x80 feet more or less. As the property of Georgia Banking and Trust company.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Loyd street, in the 2d ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of ———, part of land lot No. 75 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 60x160 feet more or less. As the property of Charles E Robinson.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Pulliam street in the 2d ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Bell and Ellis, part of land lot No. 76, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing ¼ acre, more or less. As the property of J F Steinhauer.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Gartrell street in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Martin, Manley and Guess, part of land lot No. 45, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 90x160 feet, more or less. As the property of W F Stewart.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Hunter street, in the 3rd ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Kershaw and Gadias, part of land lot No. 52, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing ¼ acre more or less. As the property of Mrs. Laus Agricola.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Blackman and Brumby streets, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Crawford, part of land lot No. 47, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 2 acres more or less. As the property of John W. Brumby, trustee for wife.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Calhoun and College streets, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Manley & Grant, part of land lot No. 52, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 50x200 feet, more or less. As the property of B. F. Longley, agent.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Houston street, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Moore & Elswald, part of land lot No. 51, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 4x300 feet, more or less. As the property of Mrs M G Ellis.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Crew and Rawson street, in the 2nd ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of McLean and Rhodes, part of land lot No 76, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 100x100 feet more or less. As the property of John G Martin, trustee.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Smith and Richardson street, in the 2nd ward of Atlanta, part of land lot No 85, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 70x144 feet more or less. As the property of Mrs M G Milliean and F A Peabody.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Cox street, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Hoke Smith, part of land lot No 50, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing ¼ acre, more or less; as the property of Caroline Senter.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on W. Peachtree street, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of M. Gaines and Barnwell, part of land lot No. 50, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing 75x187 feet more or less, as the property of Douglass Green.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Jones street, in the 3d ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Gay and Ed Wilson, part of land lot No. 53, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga., containing ⅛ acre more or less, as the property of Est Andrew Heesin.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on McDaniel street, in the 1st ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Nesbet and Green, part of land lot No. 85 14th District of Fulton county, Ga., containing 50x72 feet, more or less. As the property of John F Huff.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Gullatt and Chatham streets in the 3 ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Day and Pillsbury, part of land lot No 44, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 180x200 feet more or less; as the property of Mrs Mary E Jones.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Smith and Alley streets in the 2 ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of John Shields, part of land lot No 85 14th district of Fulton county, Ga containing 1-5 acre more or less; as the property of Mrs Sarah J Jones.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Mitchell and Hunter streets in the 1st ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Hayward and J M Lowe, part of land lot No. 84, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing ⅛ acre more or less. As the property of Mrs E L Brown.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Calhoun street in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Tolbert and Hasley, part of land lot No. 51, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 50x90 feet, more or less; as the property of Mrs Martha Cherry.

Also at the same time and place, a lot fronting 800 feet on Wallace, 340 on Foster street, in the 4th ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Rice and Mitchell, 305 feet, Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line railroad, 359 feet; part of land lot No. 19, 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 2½ acres. As the property of Rice and Thomson.

Also at the same time and place, a lot on Hunter (to Fair) street, in the 3d ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Henson and Robinson, part of land lot No 45 14th district of Fulton county, Ga, containing 50x150 feet more or less. As the property of Wm W Grant.

A. M. PERKERSON, Sheriff.

FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S SALES FOR June, 1884. Will be sold before the courthouse door, in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday in June next, within the legal hours of sale, the following property to-wit:

A house and lot on McDonough street, city of Atlanta, known as No. 141 on said street, and having a front of 100 feet on west side of McDonough street and running back towards Crew street 250 feet, more or less, being a part of block six of land lot 76, in the 14th district of Fulton county; levied on as the property of Mrs. P. Y. Hudson to satisfy a fi fa from Fulton superior court in favor of B. H. Broomhead & Co., vs. Mrs. P. Y. Hudson.

Also at the same time and place a lot of land belonging to the defendant fronting eighty-six feet on Reed street, and running back ninety feet east, and known as lots number 23 and 24 of the Rawson subdivision in the third ward in the city of Atlanta and in land lot number 53 in the 14th district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, and defendant in fi fa served with written notice of this levy. Levied on as the property of Agnes McDevitt to satisfy a fi fa issued from 1,026 district G. M., Fulton county, in favor of Margaret Douglas vs. Agnes McDevitt.

Also, at the same time and place, that certain tract of land lying in the 17th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Ga., containing one hundred and twenty acres, more or less, and being part of land lot number six of said district, and beginning at the northeast corner of said lot number six, and running south to the northern boundary of a portion of land sold to N. H. Cheshire and S. J. Cheshire by Elizabeth A. Lewis; from thence west, to the eastern boundary of the McCauley property, thence north to the northern line of said land lot number six, and thence to the beginning point; said property being more particularly described in the deed made by Fielding Lewis and the plat accompanying said deed which is recorded in book J page 542 of records of deeds for Fulton county; levied on as the property of N. H. and S. J. Cheshire to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from Fulton Superior Court in favor of E. A. J. Bacon vs. N. H. and S. J. Chreshire.

A. M. PERKERSON, Sheriff.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—TO THE SUPERIOR Court of said County—Your petitioners, J J Falvey, R J Lowry J C Kirkpatrick, A J Haltiwanger, E R DuBose, J A Scott, H R S Duck, W H Nutting, R C Boschè, H W Grady, J J Veiner, Z T Doobs, R L Barry, J G Rucker, E G Roberts, T J Youmans and T H Bowles, respectfully solicit a charter for the purpose of incorporating your petitioners, their successors and others, under the name of the "Gate City Loan and Building Association," with the power of having and using a common name and seal, suing and being sued by said name, holding such property, real and personal, as may be conveyed, mortgaged or pledged to said association; appointing or electing such officers as they may deem necessary to carry on the business of said association properly, and fixing their salaries; adopting such constitution, by-laws and regulations, not contrary to the laws of the United States and of the State of Georgia, as they may consider proper in carrying out the legitimate objects of said association, and the particular business contemplated by them, according to the usage of Loan and Building Associations, with a capital not exceeding for the first year two thousand (2,000) shares of two hundred ($200) dollars each, to be paid by successive monthly installments of one dollar ($1) each, so long as the regulations governing the issuing of said shares shall require, and the right to issue under the charter hereby solicited, at such times as the said association may think best, any number of other series of shares, no series exceeding fifteen (1,500) hundred shares per annum, to be known respectively as series No. 1, series No. 2, etc. Said Association desires its principal office for the transaction of business to be located in the city of Atlanta, in said county, and to be incorporated for twenty (20) years, with the privilege of renewal according to law.

READ & CANDLER,
Petitioners' Attorneys.

A true extract from the minutes of the Superior Court of Fulton county. C. H. STRONG, C. S. C.

May 7, 1884.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—TO THE SUperior Court of said County—The petition of Thomas L Langston, Anthony Murphy, John N. Dunn, Burgess Smith, Clay Atkins and G A Howell, shows on behalf of themselves and their associates, that petitioners and their associates desire to be incorporated and made a body politic and corporate, as provided by the laws of Georgia.

Said association proposes to engage in business for the benefit of its stockholders, and to buy, sell, exchange, improve, lease, rent and deal in real estate, in Fulton county, Georgia, in such manner, and upon such terms as the stockholders or directors may determine; the corporate name of said association shall be, "The West End Improvement Company," and its principal place of business shall be in Fulton county, Georgia; its capital stock shall be thirty thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of thirty dollars each, and ten per cent thereof shall be paid in before said company shall commence business; but said company desires that said capital stock may be increased at any time to any amount not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, by action of the stockholders or directors; and that said company may be incorporated for twenty years, with the privilege of renewal at the end of that time.

Petitioners desire further that said company have power to elect such officers and adopt such constitution, by-laws and regulations as may be proper or necessary, and the same to change at pleasure; to have and use a common seal, to sue and be sued, and generally to do, exercise and perform all such matters and things, and to have all such powers and authority as may be necessary or proper for carrying out the purposes of said association, and as are incident to all such corporations; and petitioners will ever pray.

MYNATT & HOWELL,
Attorneys for Petitioners.

Filed in office May 6th, 1884.
C. H. STRONG, C. S. C.

A true extract from the minutes.
C. H. STRONG, C. S. C.

Administrator's Sale.

R. H. KNAPP, Auctioneer.

STATE OF GEORGIA, COUNTY OF FULTON—By virtue of an order of the court of ordinary of said county, rendered at the October term, 1883, of said court, will be sold on the premises, within legal hours of sale, on the 3d day of June, 1884, the following real estate, to-wit: One house and lot fronting on the west side of Haynes street sixty feet and running back west one hundred and twenty feet, and bounded on the north by Titlebaum's property, and on the south by a public alley, the same being part of land lot eighty four in the fourteenth district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, and in the first ward of the city of Atlanta.

Also one house and lot adjoining the lot above described, and bounded as follows, to wit: Twenty feet on Dover alley, thence running from said alley to Markham street and fronting on said Markham street twenty feet, more or less, and adjoining the lot first above described on the west.

Also at the court house door, within legal hours of sale, on the 3d day of June 1884, one cemetery lot, No. 2, in block No. 56, in the survey made by W. B. Bass, city surveyor, on the 19th day of October, 1866, the same being part of land lot eighty four, in the fourteenth district of originally Henry, now Fulton county. Said property above described belongs to the estate of Frank Quarles, deceased, and is to be sold for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased and making distribution among his heirs.

Terms cash, or one half cash, with the balance in six and twelve months, with 8 per cent interest, as the purchaser may elect.

HENRY H. TUCKER JR.,
apr 29 may 6 13 20 june 3 Administrator.

Administratrix Sale.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER from the Court of Ordinary of Fulton county, will be sold on the first Tuesday in June, 1884, at the Court house door in said county, between the legal hours of sale, the tract of land whereon Allen Frazer, deceased, resided at his death, described as follows: Beginning at a point 142¼ feet east from the southeast corner of Markham and Walnut streets, on the line of Markham street, thence south 142 feet to an alley, thence east 37½ feet, more or less, thence north to Markham street, thence west 37½ feet to beginning. Terms cash. May 6, 1884. FLORIDA ALEXANDER,
tu Administratrix of Allen Frazier.

Executor's Sale.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORity vested in us by the will of S F Salter, deceased, and a decree made by Hon W R Hammond judge, etc., on 5th of May, 1884, we will sell at public outcry, before the court house door of Fulton county, on the first Tuesday in June next, between the legal hours of sale, all that tract or parcel of land in the city of Atlanta in land lot seventy-eight (78) of the fourteenth district, known in the subdivision of said land lot as part of block 76, and fronting twenty-five feet on the west side of Broad street, and extending back west with a uniform width along the north side of Walton street eighty (80) feet, upon which said property there is a four story brick building. Also all that tract or parcel of land in land lot forty-nine of said district, fronting one hundred and twenty six feet on the west side of Peachtree, formerly Ivy street, and extending west with a uniform width along south side of East Third street three hundred and fifty feet, more or less, to a twenty feet alley, upon which is a fine frame dwelling house. Terms one-half cash, balance in six and twelve months, with interest at eight per cent and bond for titles given, but with the privilege to purchaser of paying all cash and taking deed. This May 5th, 1884.

M. T. SALTER,
WM S THOMSON,
tu Executors of S. F. Salter, deceased.

Guardian's Sale.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—BY VIRTUE of an order of the court of ordinary of Fulton county, granted at the May term, 1884, of said court, will be sold at the court house door of said county on the first Tuesday in June next within the legal hours of sale, the following property, to-wit: The one fourth undivided part of lot number one (1) of Martin's block in the city of Atlanta, bounded on the north by Fair street (91) feet, on the west by Martin's alley (209) feet, on the south by city lot number six (6) ninety one (91) feet, thence two hundred and nine (209) feet to beginning corner; containing one half acre more or less, the same being part of land lot number fifty-three (53) in the 14th district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, the same being the property of Missouri Powell, minor. Sold for the purpose of maintenance, education and reinvestment. Terms cash.

ISABELLA KNIGHT, Guardian.
may 6 13 20 27 june 3.

HALL, ROBERTS & CO.............AUCTIONEERS

Executor's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER GRANTED AT the April term, 1884, of the Court of Ordinary of Fulton county, Georgia, I will sell at public outcry before the court house door, in Fulton county, Ga., on the first Tuesday in June next, within the legal hours of sale, a parcel of land in the city of Atlanta, known as lot No eleven (11) of the subdivision of the Daniel property, being part of land lot No 45, in the 14th District of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, commencing on the east side of Daniel street, at the S W corner of Walker's lot 81 feet south of the first alley south of Foster street, and running southwardly along said east side of Daniel street 71 feet more or less to the N W corner of Camp's lot; thence east along Camp's line 154 feet more or less to an alley; thence northwardly along the west side of said alley 65 feet more or less to Walker's lot; thence westwardly along Walker's south line 169 feet more or less to the beginning point on Daniel street; having on it three new 2 room painted houses.

Sold as the property of Mrs. Toccoa I Cameron, deceased, for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased. Terms cash.

JOHN T. HALL,
Executor of Toccoa I. Cameron, deceased.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE

VIRGINIA FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

RICHMOND, VA., April 1, 1884.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT THE Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Co., of Richmond, Virginia, has withdrawn from business in the state of Georgia. Said Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Co. has canceled all policies issued by it in the state of Georgia, and has satisfied and paid all losses and all claims of its policy holders in the state of Georgia, and on the 1st day of June, 1884, will make application to Hon. D. N. Speer, treasurer of the state of Georgia, for leave to withdraw from the state treasury the $25,000 of bonds of the state of Georgia now on deposit.

W. L. COWARDIN,
President Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Co.

LEAK & LYLE..........................Auctioneers.

Executor's Sale.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—BY VIRTUE of an order of the honorable court of ordinary granted in April, 1884, will be sold before the court house door of said county within the legal hours of sale on the first Tuesday in June next, all that tract or parcel of land lying, being and situated in land lot No 56 of the fourteenth district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, fronting on the west side of the Jonesboro road, bounded north by Rawson property, south by Wallace property and west by Clarke university property, containing nine (9) acres more or less, with improvements. Sold by last will and testament of Mary A Frazier, deceased.

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THE second closing of the Penn bank of Pittsburg has produced the tragedy of the panic. President Riddle resorted to an attempted suicide when he found that the truth could no longer be suppressed.

THE primaries which were held in Texas on Saturday for the purpose of choosing delegates to the state convention, which in turn is to send delegates to Chicago, very wisely resulted in favor of Tilden and Hendricks.

GENERAL GRANT is quite bitter toward his late business associates, all of whom were excellent gentlemen as long as their speculations were successful. But they played one game which was beyond their reach, and it is now convenient to denounce them.

IN the senate, on Friday, Mr. Brown introduced a bill to remove the political disabilities of Frances T. Cullens. Upon the bill to establish a bureau of labor Mr. Brown voted "yes," and Mr. Colquitt voted "no." In the house Mr. Hammond took charge of the proposed Kellogg star-route investigation, and succeeded in having the whole matter referred to the judiciary committee. The debate was long and keen. Mr. Hammond presented some papers relating to the claim of Stephen G. Dorsey, and Mr. Nicholls presented a petition of the employes of the Savannah postoffice, urging an equalization of salaries.

A NEW ERA FOR THE CONSTITUTION.

The new dress in which THE CONSTITUTION appears this morning is the first step in a system of improvements that will soon be completed and will mark a new era and a new growth for this paper.

A new press that will print THE CONSTITUTION in much better style and in better shape, and deliver it more promptly and certainly, is now en route for Atlanta. The floors are now being laid in our new building, in which we will have more room, a larger force and better appliances to meet the requirements of our rapidly growing business. When we are at work in our new building with our new press, we shall have an equipment that, in beauty, finish and efficiency is not equalled by any newspaper establishment south of Philadelphia or Chicago.

We do not care to develop our plans for the improvement of THE CONSTITUTION, further than to record them as they are made. But the public may rest assured that the improvement noted this morning is but a suggestion of what is to follow—that in the future the readers of THE CONSTITUTION will get a better paper, more for their money, with more prompt and regular delivery, and that we shall spare nothing that will confirm the position THE CONSTITUTION holds in American journalism.

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

It is a curious fact that astronomers who know all about comets and comets' tails know next to nothing about the moon, although it is right at our doors, comparatively. Even Professor Proctor, the distinguished postal card astronomer, of Kalamazoo, knows very little of the moon, though he is ready to take his readers by the hand and lead them into the star depths in any other direction. Astronomy, like a good many other sciences, is a very arrogant affair until you get it in a corner, and you then discover that the people in the country who make a clock of the Pleiades possess as much real knowledge of the sidereal heavens as the men with the telescopes. They may never be able to see the moons of Mars or the rings of Saturn, but knowledge of this sort is not necessary. Job knew all about the stars, but he knew no more than the Georgia farmer knows. Job, however, was not an astronomer; otherwise, he might have known less.

We are willing to give the men with the telescopes all the glory they may win, but the fact remains that they know nothing about the moon. They have contented themselves with declaring that the moon is a dead planet, without atmosphere or life—a burnt-out arid affair hardly worthy of study or investigation—whereas, if there is any truth in the nebular hypothesis, the moon must be as young as the earth, and composed of similar elements. Moreover, there is no room in any theory of the universe or in the universe itself for any such lack of vitality as is attributed to the moon. If we seem to be speaking by the card in this matter, we do but borrow the oracular pleasantry of the scientists themselves, to whom the conception of a theory is quite as important as its confirmation.

This brings us, as we say in Georgia, to the "peth" of the matter, and the peth appears to be very pethy. It is said that at the astronomical observatory of Berlin a discovery has been made which will give new importance to the earth's satellite. Professor Blendmann—most suggestive name!—has found that the moon is not only not dead, but is the center of a vitality as energetic as that which manifests itself on the earth.

The statement to which we allude, and which may be a huge joke, says that by accident Blendmann found that the observations of the moon gave but very unsatisfactory results, owing to the intensity of the light power of the moon's atmosphere, which is that strong that it affects the correctness of the observations in a very high degree. He then conceived the idea to make the object glass of the refractor less sensitive to the rays of light, and for that purpose he darkened it with the smoke of camphor. It took months of experimenting before he succeeded in finding his right degree of obscurity of the glass, and when finally found he then, with the refractor, took a very accurate photo of the moon's surface. This he placed in a sun microscope, which gave the picture a diameter of fifty-five and a half feet.

The revelation, the account goes on to say, was most startling. It perfectly overturned all hitherto entertained ideas of the moon's surface. Those level plains which formerly were held to be oceans of water proved to be verdant fields, and what formerly was considered mountains turned out as deserts of sand and oceans of water. Towns and habitations of all kinds were plainly discernible, as well as signs of industry and traffic. The learned professor's study and observations of old Luna will be repeated every full moon when the sky is clear, and we venture to predict that the time is not far off when we shall know more about the man in the moon than as being an agent in English politics. For our part, we are content to leave this grave question with the astronomers.

HOT WEATHER AND FOUL STREETS.

The weather will soon be hot; it is already on the verge of the nineties; and the annual inspection of streets and alleys and back-yards and sewers should be begun and vigorously prosecuted. Every citizen should consider himself a health officer as he walks about, and report without exception and without fear any case of foul smells or uncleanliness. In this way the city can soon be put on a high sanitary footing. There are many foul spots that are known to the authorities, and there are probably many more that are not so known. It is the clear and plain duty of a citizen to report anything that endangers the health of the community, no matter in how small degree. Small nuisances taint and poison the air as well as large ones, and the lesser ones cannot be rooted out unless every citizen will do his share of the work of detection.

The sanitary standing of this city is very high on account of its elevation, mountain air and distance from any considerable body of water; and the officials that permit filth to lower our record and reputation in this respect will wish they had never been born. If proper care is taken to put the city in order for the hot season, no outbreak of disease need be apprehended, but it would be folly to rely wholly on our natural advantages by disregarding the plain laws of sanitation. Let us hope the city will be at once relieved of filth and foul smells.

M. QUAD places this prediction on record, and those who are acquainted with the situation will see that he underestimates the potentialities of the future. Of Alabama he says that ten years hence she will supply a great part of the country with coal and iron. In that time Selma, Huntsville and Montgomery will nearly double their population. Birmingham will have from 40,000 to 50,000. The state will have two or three more railroads, two or more large stove works, a car wheel factory, a great agricultural works, at least two canning factories, and a score of new towns. Of Georgia, he says Atanta ten years hence will have 15,000 more population, and every town and city in the state will have steadily gained. Scores of new industries will be in existence, capital will be increased by millions. Colored help will be almost entirely replaced by white labor. Fruit and truck will be shipped to every northern market. An immense fruit canning factory will be started between Atlanta and Macon. There will be a hundred more sawmills, half a dozen great agricultural and machine works and every county in the state will have a railroad running through it. Perhaps in the near future Connecticut will buy her rattraps in Montgomery, and Michigan her plows in Atlanta. These glimpses of the future may startle some of M. Quad's readers, but people who have witnessed the gigantic strides of this section in the last decade will consider the picture altogether too tame.

IN jail, young Ward has opportunity for both speculation and reflection.

THE Georgia delegation to Chicago will need no instruction to put in for the old ticket. They will not need to be instructed to know how their constituents expects them to vote.

ABOUT the best savings bank in this country is to be found in the valuable clay banks in and around Atlanta.

THE Philadelphia Press contains a half column interview with an alleged slave auctioneer. The party interviewed is quoted as saying a good many brutal things concerning his former business, and as regretting the "good old times." To the southern reader the interview has a bogus appearance. It was doubtless written by some bohemian who had just crammed himself with "Uncle Tom's Cabin." The ex-slave auctioneers now living do not go about glorifying their old occupation, and indulging in loud regrets that they can no longer sell negroes.

IN a few days at most the season of the June bug will arrive.

AN exchange says that "there is some excitement in oil." If this is castor oil, a little paregoric will help matters.

MANY persons who have read the brief telegraphic announcement that there is a movement on foot to restore Baker Pasha to his place in the British army, find themselves endeavoring to recall the cause of Baker's dismissal and disgrace. The affair occurred ten years ago, and was the sensation of the day. Colonel Valentine Baker, a gallant officer of the Tenth Hussars, one day found himself alone in the compartment of a railway coach with a Miss Dickinson, a bewitching and most voluptuous blonde. When the train stopped at a certain station the door of the compartment was found open, and the colonel was holding fast to Miss Dickinson, who stood hatless on the step outside. A great commotion followed, and the excited beauty accused Colonel Baker of the most ungentlemanly conduct imaginable. Baker was tried. His lips were sealed. Miss Dickinson repeated her story under oath; and the defendant was sentenced to pay a fine of $2,000 and serve one year in Millbank prison. Society was divided on the question of the colonel's guilt. The queen stood by Miss Dickinson, while the prince of Wales stuck to Baker. The prisoner served out his term, entered the Turkish service, was made a pasha, and in the war with Russia, and subsequently in Egypt covered himself with glory. A man who can do such things naturally wins public admiration. A reaction in English public sentiment took place, and petitions by the hundreds have been sent up for Baker's reinstatement in the army. The prince of Wales is working hard for it, but the queen remains obdurate. What the outcome will be it is impossible to tell, but military ability goes a long way in England, and Baker may yet be a British general.

THE failure of the conspiracy to nominate Grant has given Blaine a bigger boom than he knows what to do with.

GENERAL CLINGMAN, of North Carolina, relates a wonderful cure effected upon himself by the use of tobacco. Once in New York his right eye received an accidental blow which temporarily destroyed the sight and caused him great pain. The general at once made a tobacco poultice and applied it to the injured eye. The physicians protested, but the stubborn patient insisted that he knew what he was about. In the course of a day and a night the swelling went down, the eye resumed its natural color, and on the fifth day the sight was completely restored. General Clingman claims that he has, at divers times by the use of tobacco, cured himself of various troubles, ranging from gunshot wounds to corns. While these marvelous cures may have been performed, it would not be admissable for any reader of this paragraph to rush off blindly and begin doctoring himself with tobacco. Further tests will be required to demonstrate the healing powers of tobacco.

IT is thought that Mr. Conkling is studying to become a Boston poet. This is a step in the right direction.

THE Georgia snake will soon begin to wiggle t he front.

THE old duchess of Albuford, who died a week, was one of the last links connecting the present age with the era of the First Napoleon She was an imperialist to the last, but pretended to hold the Bonapartes in low esteem. Napoleon she thought a genius, and a good friend to those who stuck by him, flattered him, and took care to follow his footsteps. He was a despot, and as he grew old he became very jealous of possible rivals. Louis was a prig, and his talents fitted him perhaps for the position of major domo in some well-regulated house, but for nothing higher. Joseph was self-willed and soft brained, but a good husband and father. His best qualities were those of a common-place bourgeois. Lucien was conceited, dry, disagreeable and very fond of money. Of the women of the family the duchess speaks in still more uncomplimentary terms. Josephine, she said, did not have a shred of character.

WE have determined to print all spring poetry in new type hereafter.

MRS. GRANT claims that her sons have been robbed. It is really sad that they should be caught in the very trap they furnished bait for.

BY reading the newspapers Ferdinand Ward can discover that none of his colleagues are in jail.

JUST now there is a craze among New York ladies on the subject of the English style of penmanship. The teachers of this angular chirography are overwhelmed with pupils, and American penmanship is at a discount. The new style is considered desirable simply because it is English. It has always been thought good form in England for ladies to cultivate the angular shaped handwriting and the fashionables of New York have just waked up to a realizing sense of their shortcomings in this regard.

THE American end of the Bennett cable has been successfully laid in Massachusetts. Ex-Governor Benjamin Butler will soon be in communication with the crowned heads of Europe.

JOHN SHERMAN has accidentally fenced in his own boom.

MR. ARTHUR says he can get along without the democratic party. Very well. But we should be sorry to know that the democratic party will have to do without Arthur as the republican candidate. He is one man whose chickens we can drive into the coop without any trouble.

MR. FLOWER is said to be a good second choice in New York. And yet there is no second choice. Mr. Tilden is first and also second. In other words Mr. Tilden must be nominated.

IF ladies will become dog fanciers they will find that china dogs are the least troublesome of any. In Philadelphia there is a rage for these ornaments, and the dealers in bric-a-brac are crowded with orders for dogs of all sorts. The ambition of every lady seems to be to secure a complete collection, and it is a common thing to see an etagere filled with single dogs, dogs in pairs, and families of dogs, composed of the mastiff, the bull, the Newfoundland, the collie, the setter, the pointer, the pug, the hound, the terrier, and so on through all the varieties. One good thing about these pets is that they neither eat nor bite.

POLITICAL NOTES.

HANCOCK, Tilden, Cleveland, Flower, and Dorsheimer comprise the New York list of candidates to be trotted out in Chicago No. 2.

MR. ENGLISH can say what no other member of congress can say. The first vote he was called on to cast was on a resolution to investigate his father.

IT is hardly probable that Grant will be placed upon the retired list this session. A number of protests have been filed against his retirement, and it now looks as if the house committee will simply pigeonhole the measure.

AFTER canvassing southern gentlemen---not the "poor white trash"—very thoroughly upon the merits of the Blair bill, Joaquin Miller writes from Washington that, as a rule, southern men are ready and anxious to give the negro all possible opportunities.

MR. NATHAN PAYNE a son of H. B. Payne, is quoted as saying that his father is entirely satisfied with his election as a United States senator from Ohio, and so are all his friends. "The democrats of Ohio," he says, "are for the old ticket." He thinks will it be nominated by acclamation, and he believes Mr. Tilden wil accept.

JUDGE KEY, of Chattanooga, says that matters in the present cabinet are becoming quite embarrassing. Lincoln is elated over the prominence his name had gained for the head of the ticket, and Gresham, the postmaster-general, thinks he is the right man for the place, and consequently both are sly of Arthur, and each finds it convenient to be absent as much as possible from the white house. With this state of affairs existing, there is a strong intimation of some changes in the cabinet after the Chicago convention.

REPRESENTATIVE HARDEMAN, of Georgia, says Tilden will be nominated by acclamation if he will allow his name to go before the democratic convention. With Tilden out of the way, Governor Cleveland, of New York, he thinks, stands a fair chance of being nominated. Mr. Hardeman says Senator Bayard is popular throughout the south, and, in fact, all over the country; but he is too pure a statesman to get down and struggle for the nomination, besides the state of Deleware is too small to produce a successful democratic candidate. It is necessary for the democrats to select a man from one of the large doubtful states.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

MR. RUSSELL SAGE declares that he has several barrels still left.

WHAT a story Ward could tell if he could only get his memory back.

MR. SAGE has closed up his balances with his "privilege" customers. In the past ten days Uncle Russell has been mulcted for a cool six million.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS SALA writes that the death of Sam Ward was inexpressibly painful. He mourns him, he says, as a most gifted, winning amiable and charitable gentleman.

DURING his first administration in the Soudan, General Gordon went about always unarmed. "Only once," he says, "I slept with a revolver by me, but I was sorry for it afterwards."

MISS BECKY JONES is beginning to reap results. Among her letters of encouragement and consolation is one from an admirer who wants to marry the woman who can hold her tongue.

HENRY P. ROWE will put down 450,000 bushels of shells on his oyster farm at East Haven, Conn. His losses from starfish which recently appeared in great numbers upon his oyster beds are estimated at seventy-five thousand dollars.

MISS MARY ANDERSON'S success in Manchester has been without precedent in theatrical annals. Her receipts during the past week have amounted to 10,760 dollars, which is a larger sum than was ever before taken by any dramatic attraction in the same length of time in that city.

A FASHIONABLE wedding was celebrated at Lebanon, Pa., Thursday, the bride being Miss Hattie Dawson Coleman, one of the heirs to the Cornwall ore beds, and the groom, Mr. H. S. Glover, a wealthy New Yorker. The wedding is said to have cost twenty-five thousand dollars. More than a ton of cake was distributed to the employes of the Colemans.

THE dowager empress of Austria, Mary Anne, who died the other day, married, when still young, the epileptic Emperor Ferdinand of Austria. Soon after the death of the Emperor Francis, her father-in-law, there was a rumor that an heir in the direct line to the crown might be expected. In alluding to it the empress said, "God forbid that I should ever perpetuate the suffering of which I am a consistant witness. What renders it so awful is that it degrades instead of exalting. I am unable to respect martyrdom of this sort, although from my inmost heart I pity it. I could have been happier as a poor, obscure woman, with a husband that I could love and rosy children around me, than the wife of a kaiser who is afflicted with a disease that unfits him for all public and private duty."

IN GENERAL.

FOR once Wall street found that it could not shake the country.

WANTED—By several banks, two or three presidents who do not speculate. Address New York City.

LILLIE DEVEREAUX BLAKE says a bachelor is a man who has missed his opportunity to make some woman miserable. The bachelors are no doubt glad they missed Lillie.

A WOMAN makes the surgical instruments used by the most skillful operators on human flesh in New York city. She has been in the business nine years, and both makes and sells her sharp-edged wares.

THERE are eleven different kinds of pleats applied to ladies skirts as made up this season—fine, medium, accordeon, round, box, fan, shell, organ-pipe, clustered, reversed and a peculiar slashed and turned up form known as the loop.

THE young gorilla of the Jardin des Plantes is dead. He was under four years of age, and was claimed to be the only genuine gorilla ever brought to Europe. Other beasts that have been represented to be gorillas were, it is declared, only chimpanzees.

THE few Wall street failures of last week are dwarfed into insignificance, when compared with that of the Oriental bank, of London, which failed on the 2d of this month, with liabilities reported at 8,500,000 pounds, or $42,500,000, and assets of about the same large proportions.

THE festival business was started in Cincinnati and it is proper that it should come to a final smash there. The recent "dramatic festival" cost $52,500 and the receipts were $10,000; deficiency, $42,500. The "May musical festival" now going on is to cost $50,000 and the receipts are estimated at $20,000; deficiency, $20,000.

AT Monte Carlo it is the custom to fill the pockets of suicides with bank notes, so that it may be seen that they did not kill themselves on account of losses. A recent letter from there relates how a presumably dead Irishman succeeded in getting his pockets filled a short time ago. After losing a small sum at the gambling tables he suddenly jumped up, exclaiming, "I'm ruined!" and rushed into the gardens. Almost immediately afterward the guards heard a pistol shot and then a crash of pain, and rushing to the spot, found the Irishman dead. It was dark, with no one around, so they filled his pockets with money and left him to be discovered in the morning. They had scarcely gone out of sight, however, before the Irishman was on his feet again and skipping away in the most lively style.

ECHOES FROM THE PEOPLE.

An Electric Railway.

A. R. T., Thompson, Ga.—Is there an electric railway in London?

None at present. The house of commons is now considering a bill which provides for the construction of an electric railway between Charing Cross and the general postoffice. Scientific men pronounce the scheme practicable.

Pedestrianism.

J. B., Greenville, S. C.—What is the best six day heel-and-toe pedestrian record?

The best record for six days heel-and-toe walking is 531 miles, 677 yards, made by George Littlewood, Sheffield, England, March, 1882, in 39 1-2 hours. The best American record is 530 miles in 140 hours, 47 minutes, made by C. A. Harriman, Chicago, May, 1881.

When a Lamb Becomes a Sheep.

S. A. C., Eastman, Ga.: When does a lamb become a sheep?

An English court of law has decided that a lamb becomes a sheep upon the appearance of the first pair of permanent incisors.

A Tragedy.

From the New York Times.

Whatever ravages the professional newspaper humorist has committed have hitherto been confined to the reading public. The humorists have not preyed upon one another, but have lived in peace and harmony, wisely perceiving that the supply of goats and stove pipes and mother-in-laws and girls with large feet is sufficient to enable every newspaper to have its own humorist without attacking other humorists.

We may therefore assume that the unfortunate circumstance which has placed the lives of a Chicago and an Atlanta humorist in danger was a mere accident, and not the result of malice or recklessness. It appears that a short time ago the Chicago humorist thought it would be a good joke to announce the approaching marriage of the Atlanta humorist, and thereupon invented a young lady, the daughter of an alleged Georgian colonel, and printed a paragraph to the effect that the Atlanta humorist was about to marry the young lady in question. The names of the invented young lady and colonel were plausible ones, but as they were developed out of the inner consciousness of the Chicago man he felt that no harm could be done by their publication.

It so happened that there resides in Georgia a colonel of precisely the same name as that of the invented colonel, and that he has a daughter named substantially as specified in the Chicago humorist's paragraph. This colonel was naturally indignant at the use of his daughter's name, and he therefore took with him two other colonels and his revolver and proceeded to the office of the Atlanta humorist with the intention of making a Georgia repartee to the matrimonial joke. The humorist had not yet seen the comic effort of his Chicago contemporary, and was greatly astonished by the visit of the irate colonels. Fortunately a brother editor seized the first colonel who showed signs of drawing a revolver and held him until the true origin and nature of the joke was explained. This ended the affair as far as the Atlanta humorist was concerned, but the aggrieved colonel, borrowing a small sum of money, instantly started for Chicago with the inexorable purpose of wiping out the insult to his daughter in the blood of the Chicago man.

Humorists are so abundant in our favored land that the destruction of a single Chicago humorist by a Georgian colonel will not be a grave national loss. It is to be hoped, however, that it will convince all humorists of the danger of inventing Georgian colonels and using them in humorous paragraphs. Whatever reasonable name a humorist may invent, it is almost certain that somewhere in this county there is a real man owning the same name; and it is always possible that this real man may imagine that he has been willfully insulted. Instead of inventing people who may turn out to be real, our humorists may by common consent use the name of John Smith whenever they have to introduce a man's name. John Smith has been judicially decided to be a generic term, and not a name in which any man can claim a proprietary right. If the John Smith of the humorists is uniformly represented as residing in Shepoose and adopted by a council of humorists, no mistakes like that which so nearly resulted in the shooting of the Atlanta humorist, and which, by this time, has doubtless hurried a Chicago humorist to an untimely grave, would be avoided. It is sad to see a humorist cut down in his prime, just as the housecleaning, ice cream, and Sunday school picnic jokes are in season; but if thereby a valuable lesson is taught to surviving humorists the visit of the Georgia colonel to Chicago will not have been made in vain.

THE DAY'S SPORTS.

Events on the Turf and in the Field.

LOUISVILLE, May 26.—First race, purse 400, for 2 year olds, five furlongs, Troubadour 1, Princess Bon 2, Lady of the Lake 3; time, 10:27¾.

Second race, Nantura race, for all ages. Freeland and Modesty, both belonging to Corrigan's stable, were the only horses to come to the post and consequently the event was a walk-over, Modesty finishing first, Nantura second.

Third Race, Runnymede stake for two-yearolds three-quarters mile, Favor won, Valkisia second, Powach third; time 1:18.

Fourth race, purse $500, mile heats. Fir st Elizzie first, Rothschilds secon d, Salvia third, win A. Keene, Tennyson and Ironsitwon distanced; time 1:43¾. Second heat, Elizzie first, Bob Patd second, Rothschid third; time 1:46.

BASE BALL.

Trenton—Wilmington 4; Trentons 6.

Cleveland—Clevelands 2; Detroits 0.

Buffalo—Buffalos 4; Chicagos 0; Altoona 6; Nationals 3.

Allentown—Allentowns 10; Virginias 7.

Baltimore—Baltimores 11; Cincinnatis 3.

Philadelphia—Athletics 14; Toledos 8; Philadelphias 4; Boston 2.

Newark, N. J.—Domestics 13; Harrisburg 10.

Pittsburg—Rain. No game.

A Decision Adverse to the Western Union.

BALTIMORE, May 26.—Chief Justic Waite has filed his decision in the long pending suit of the Western Union telegraph company, vs: the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company, involving the ownership of the telegraph lines along the Baltimore and Ohio railroad between this city and Wheeling and Parkersburg, in West Virginia. The cases was argued here in the United States circuit court before Chief Justice Waite and judges Bond and Morris in February, and the decision of the chief justice is in favor of the Baltimore and Ohio was filed Saturday. The Western Union, under the decision, secures the value of one wire. The Baltimore and Ohio railroad has had possession of the line since 1877.

Cremation in Venezuela Obligatory.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The consul of the United States at Maracaibo has sent to the department of state a copy of a decree issued by the late president of Venezuela, Guzman Blanco, by which the cremation of corpses of yellow fever victims is made obligatory in that republic. It is claimed that there is danger of infection from the buried bodies for months after the burial, and that the cremation will in great degree prevent the spreading of the disease.

A Rising Journalist.

From the Athens Chronicle.

The Macon correspondence of THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION is the best on the Georgia press. It is the work of Mr. Wales Wynton, a former Athens boy. This live young man is furnishing a column daily for that enterprising journal, and is rapidly gaining a reputation as a journalist. His first newspaper work was on the Chronicle. We are proud of him, and still claim him as an Athenian.

Strikers Returning to Work.

FALL RIVER, May 26.—The spinners of the Union mills returned to work at reduced wages this morning. Some of the Border City mills strikers also returned to-day. One mill is running a full, and the other nearly a full force. At the Wompanoug, Chace and Slade mills, the strikers offered to return if taken back in a body, but the manufacturers will not consent to turn out competent knobsticks. Only a few more spinners are needed in these three mills.

Does Not Talk Politics.

General John B. Gordon in New York Tribune.

You can't get me to talk politics. I'm interested now in railroads and confederate homes. In regard to the latter we are resting till Decoration Day is over. That is absorbing attention at present, but when it is past we shall push right on to Richmond. No, I haven't quit politics, but—well—I am—I don't know who will be president.

When He Took After Him.

"Is that your boy, Noodlits?" asked a friend, as the cyclone-struck looking youth walked off, pocketing a dollar that he had received.

"Yes," growled Noodlits.

"He don't take after you in looks very much."

"No; he never takes after me except in distress; when he wants a dollar, then he takes after me, and never stops until he gets it."

The Missing Cincinnati Woman Found.

HASTINGS ON THE HUDSON, N. Y., May 26.—The body of a woman found drowned here Saturday, was this afternoon identified as that of Miss Arabella Hazzard, who is reported missing from Cincinnati, and whose friends have been searching the country over for her.

Building in Birmingham.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 26.—[Special.]—The building season has fairly begun, and from the belfry of the courthouse one hundred and fifty houses can be seen incourse of erection.

Turbulent Tybee.

THE NEGROES OF THE VILLAGE RISE IN THEIR MIGHT AGAINST EACH OTHER.

MACON, Ga., May 26.—[Special].—The quiet little suburban village was made lively, yesterday by a regular whoop. Jones Turner and William Henry, two negroes, became engaged in an altercation over a dusky damsel of the neighborhood. Turner slapped Henry and he retaliated with a blow from a doorhinge, cutting his ear, whereupon Turner secured a shotgun and ran him some distance with intention of killing him.

A Dramatic Scene in Court.

A NEGRO FAINTS AT BEING SENTENCED TO PAY FIVE DOLLARS.

MACON, May 26.—[Special]—Charles and Lizzie Croft, two natives of Tybee, were arraigned before the recorder this morning for fighting. After the trial had progressed it was soon evident that Croft was very guilty of wife beating. He was fined five dollars, and on hearing the sentence he threw up his hands, shouted: "Oh, Lordy!" and fell fainting. It created a sensation, and every one present looked on in horror, when suddenly Officer Murphey dashed a bucket of water on him and revived him.

Ordination of Mr. James D. Chapman,

WITH IMPOSING CEREMONIES AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

MACON, May 26.—[Special.]—Warren chapel, a branch of the First Baptist church, called Mr. James D. Chapman, of the theological department of Mercer university, to its pulpit yesterday. He was ordained with impressive ceremonies. It was conducted by the following members of the presbytery: Rev. Drs. Battle, Ryals, Warren, Branham and Brantley.

The Missouri Editors.

ENTER THE CITY IN GOOD TRIM AND LEAVE WELL IMPRESSED—CAPTAIN HERVEY'S BANQUET.

MACON, May 26.—[Special]—The party of Missouri editors reached the city last night via the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia, enroute to Jacksonville, Fla. Captain Frank Hervey opened an elegant supper in the dining rooms at the depot for them, consisting of many delicacies and new features. The decorations were very handsome; they were the work of Misses Feddie Masterson and Minnie Hervey, who displayed much taste in their arrangements. The party, after a good rest, took their departure, much impressed with Macon and her hospitaliy

MACON VS. ATLANTA.

THE TWO CITIES TO HAVE A FRIENDLY CONTEST.

A Great Six Hours Go-as-you-please Match Between the Two Cities Arranged for—The Half Mile Track in Macon's Park the Battle Ground—Other Macon Matters.

MACON, May 26.—[Special]—A great six-hour go-as-you-please match has been arranged between Macon and Atlanta, to take place at the Central City park, of Macon, Thursday, June 5th. It will be given under the auspices of the Macon and Atlanta Public Library associations, and will test the superiority of the pluck, muscle and go-ahead of the two cities so long in doubt.

The match has been arranged to take place between six of the best men that can be produced in Macon and six from Atlanta. The half mile track has been selected as the battle ground and a great time is expected. Purses will be offered by the two cities, and the winner will have a good sum.

HOW IT CAME ABOUT.

Mr. N. P. T. Finch, the enterprising president of the Atlanta library association, watching carefully the drift of public opinion during the recent matches in Atlanta, entertained an idea that to arrange a match between the two cities would not only prove interesting but profitable. He held a consultation with his board, who were favorably impressed with the idea. He came down to Macon yesterday and had a consultation with the board of directors of the public library association for the purpose of forming arrangements. His visit was satisfactory, and the affair will be a benefit for the two associations.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. H. T. Powell, the president of the public library association, Mr. Finch and Wales Winton, of THE CONSTITUTION, visited the park and outlined the course, the positions of judge's stand, timers, etc.

THE TRACK

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It is Being Embalmed at the Eclectic Medical College on Butler Street.

Yesterday a CONSTITUTION man went down to the Georgia eclectic medical college and took a look at the body of Leonidas Johnson which is there in process of embalming. In the dissecting room the body of the dead rapist lay *on a table*, stretched out, the face toward the ceiling. A cover of white cloth was stretched over it and when removed showed the form of Leonidas covered with the compounds used in preserving the flesh.

"Will you display his body in your college museum?" asked the reporter of Dr. Biggers.

"I do not know yet. We got the body here very quickly but for some reason it does not seem inclined to keep. I suppose we will have to content ourselves with keeping it for the dissecting room next winter."

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They Manage to Keep Themselves at Work Troubling Honest People.

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THROWN FROM HIS BUGGY.

A Fulton County Man Meets with a Serious Accident Yesterday Morning.

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THE MISSOURI EDITORS.

They Reach the City and Spend Sunday in Atlanta—Off for Jacksonville.

The Missouri editors were in the city Sunday, most of them taking quarters at the Markham house. During the day they took the cars or carriages and drove about the city. They expressed themselves as being very much pleased with the appearance of the city. They were not tendered a formal reception, but most of the local newspaper men called on them and made it as pleasant for them as possible. The editors played a nice joke on the Chattanooga Times. When they reached Chattanooga the Times, it appears, failed to do the honors promptly. Thereupon the editors, one hundred strong, formed a line one behind the other, and marched in solemn silence to the Times office. Then they went into the business office of the paper and continued their speechless march around the desks of the various clerks. The clerks were horrified and were about to take to the woods, when the editors slowly filed out. The solemn procession next filed into the editorial rooms and then wounds its way into the composition room. It was not until then that they succeeded in making their identity known. The foreman realized who they were and ordered up a keg of beer as the thing most likely to pacify the quill drivers. They afterwards were shown royal attentions and left Chattanooga with a fine impression of the city.

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Yesterday a CONSTITUTION man called on Mr. H. I. Kimball and remarked:

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"Then the new contractors have really taken hold?"

"There are no new contractors," said Mr. Kimball.

"What!"

"Let me explain," said Mr. Kimball. "This matter does not seem to be understood by the people. I have a copy of the contract here and I have no objection to reading you the first and last clauses which gives the whole story."

THE CONTRACT.

Mr. Kimball then read a paragraph as follows:

"We agree to furnish and pay over to the H. I. Kimball house company whatever means may be found necessary to finish and furnish the hotel in accordance with the plans and specifications which have your approval."

The closing paragraph was read as follows:

"Upon your acceptance of this proposition and the securing by you of the subscription to the bonds of the company as herein stated, we will within three days thereafter pay over to your treasurer ten thousand dollars and will see that he is thereafter kept in funds to meet the subscriptions of the company."

"This contract," said Mr. Kimball, "was approved by the board of directors on Friday at five o'clock, and was signed by the president of the company. To-day the first ten thousand dollars was deposited with Mr. Hill, the treasurer. There is to be no change in the mode or management of the business. All contracts heretofore made will be carried out, and all new contracts will be made by the board exactly the same as they have been heretofore. In other words the contract which is referred to is a contract for furnishing money, and not for doing work. Mr. Charles Beermann has consented, both as auditor and director and also as the representative of the syndicate furnishing the money, to devote his time and attention to pushing the work. The company have fitted him up an office in the store on Decatur street next to the Big Bonanza where he will be found all day."

"Tell me something about the progress of the work?"

"We are now putting in the third floor. It will be completed within two or three days and when that is done the outside work on the building will be fully one-half done. Every department of the work will be crowded to the utmost until the whole structure is completely finished and ready for the lessees to go in and open the hotel."

PUSHING THE WORK.

"How fast will the work be done?"

"A story every ten days," said Mr. Kimball, emphatically, and turning to Mr. Beermann continued. "Five more stories, and they will be up in fifty days."

"That's so," said Mr. Beermann, whose word is as good as wheat at the mill.

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"If the mills will grind out the brick and lumber there will be no failure on the part of Kimball and Beermann."

"You are invited to a banquet in the uncompleted dining room on the 12th of August," said Mr. Kimball.

"And to a Christmas dinner in the completed hotel, for I am going to run it," said Mr. Beermann.

"I'll be there," answered the scribe, and he will be too.

Honor to an Atlanta Boy.

Mr. Tom Cobb Jackson, son of Captain Henry Jackson, has won the medal as the best declaimer at Bellevue high school, located near Lynchburg, Virginia. His many friends and schoolmates in this city will rejoice in his success. He stands high as a scholar, and will enter the junior class at the State university this summer. We predict for him the highest honors in college, and a distinguished career as a citizen. We know of no young man who possesses finer qualities of head and heart, and we wish him all success.

The James Bank Adjustment.

The adjustment of the James bank matter has been going right along to consummation. Saturday and yesterday the creditors of both classes came in to sign in a steady stream. Between 600 and 700 creditors have signed. The circular was sent out Saturday and replies of assent are beginning to come into the committee from allquarters. The adjustment is moving forward as well as could be. The committee is at work perfecting all the details

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Minor Events and Happenings Here and There About the Outskirts.

The road between Decatur and Atlanta is in fine condition now and affords excellent driving.

The family of Mr. Joel Chandler Harris, of West End, left yesterday for Canada, where they will spend a few months visiting relatives of Mrs. Harris.

Decatur lacks only two names of having enough subscribers guaranteed to secure a telephonic connection with Atlanta. She already has a toll station.

Colonel P. L. Mynatt is building a lovely house between Kirkwood and Decatur. When completed, his place will be one of the most attractive in that section.

The ladies of West End will repeat the entertainment given at the academy Friday night for the benefit of the Methodist church. The entertainment will be given on the 4th of June.

Mr. Miller, of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad, who has been making his home in West End, will leave to-day for Sheffield, Alabama, where he and two of his sons will spend sometime. The other members of Mr. Miller's family will go north for the summer.

Yesterday Mrs. Stark dismissed her school at Decatur to go to the bedside of her brother, Mr. John T. Harrison, of Atlanta, who is seriously sick at Indian Springs. Mr. Harrison has been in bad health for more than a year. He is a brother of Messrs. James P. and George W. and Z. D. Harrison, and has been for years foreman of the Franklin printing house.

A BLOODY BLADE.

SAMUEL B. HENDRIX ATTEMPTS TO KILL HIMSELF AGAIN.

An Atlanta Man Winds up a Spree in the City Prison and Cuts Three Ugly Gashes in His Throat With a Butcher Knife—How His Cell Mate Saved His Life, Etc.

Samuel B. Hendrix cut his throat with a butcher knife yesterday, while confined in a cell in the city prison, in an effort to kill himself.

Hendrix is a young man who has resided nearly all his life in Atlanta and is well known. He is a member of a family of good standing and until within the last two years has been respected and esteemed by a large circle of friends. Friday night Hendrix wound up at the city prison quite drunk. His name secured his release, after he had sobered, upon his promise to return the next morning. He failed to keep his word and was run in again Saturday night, but again promised to come up yesterday morning and was released. Instead of keeping his promise Hendrix got boozy again yesterday morning and began cavorting around. He went out on Davis street and stopping at Mr. Budden's residence, No. 76, made a murderous assault upon Miss Blanche Budden, a young lady. Immediately the police were notified of the assault and about noon Captain Crim and Patrolman Clark found Hendrix in Bridwell's store on Mitchell street, near the railroad. Hendrix observed the officers as they approached, and slipping out of the back door started down the railroad at a rapid rate. Captain Crim and Patrolman Clark gave chase and at the Peters street crossing overhauled the fugitive; but Hendrix had no idea of submitting, and jerking a paling from a fence started at the officers. Captain Crim used his stick to an advantage and succeeding in getting Hendrix to the city prison, where he was carefully searched. Nothing was found upon his person and he was given a berth in cell No. 6. Soon after Hendrix's arrest Mr. Budden, the young lady's father, went before Judge Tanner and obtained a warrant charging

HENDRIX WITH AN ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO MURDER.

Hendrix was notified that he was charged with the offense and at once became very despondent.

About two o'clock Stationhouse Keeper Buchanan was startled by loud cries emanating from the cells: "He has killed himself. Help! help!" some one shouted, and in an instant the keeper was flying through the corridor. In front of Hendrix's cell Mr. Buchanan found a long ugly butcher knife. The blade was covered with blood. Behind the bars he saw Hendrix lying flat upon the floor, the blood streaming about his face and neck. Over his body his cell mate, a telegraph operator named Bogardis, was kneeling—all making a picture suggestive of murder or suicide.

"What in the world does all this mean?" asked the station house keeper as soon as he could gather his wits.

"Mean?" replied Borgardis interrogatively. "Why, it means that this man has killed himself."

Instantly the cell door was flung open and Hendrix was brought into the corridor where an abundance of light could be had. As soon as he was taken from his cell he began resisting and this evidence of life gave the officer hope and a physician was summoned Dr. Kersion responded and found that Hendrix had cut three ugly, gashes in the left side of his neck, the longest being about three inches and requiring seven stiches to close the gap. The others were smaller but were quite ragged looking wounds. The knife was a butcher knife with a twelve inch blade and was an ugly looking weapon while bathed in the man's blood. Hendrix declined to talk much about the matter, and when asked where he got the knife said that he found it in the cell. He expressed a desire to die but his miserable attempt to kill himself is a kind of denial of the truth of his statement. Bogardas, his cell mate, says that he was awakened from a

SLEEP BY HENDRIX SHARPENING THE KNIFE ON THE WALL,

and that as he opened his eyes Hendrix drew the knife across his neck the first time. Bogardis then sprang to his feet and jerking the knife from Hendrix's hand as he made the third gash, threw it through the cell door into the corridor. Hendrix's wounds are not serious. Two years ago he made an attempt to kill himself by taking laudanum, but failed miserably. At one time Hendrix was one of the best clerks in Atlanta, but rum lost him his standing, and for months he has been doing nothing. He is about thirty years of age and is a single man. The officers do not believe that he found the knife in the cell, but are thoroughly satisfied that he picked it up as he ran through Wynatt's butcher shop while he was being chased. It is thought he had it secreted down his back when he was searched at the station house.

TO MATCH SEEL.

The Flying Dutchman will Probably Hit the Sawdust Again Soon.

Mr. Albert Seel's wonderful walk Saturday has led to a probable contest between him and a young man who lives in Douglas county, and who is said to be a "regular glider." The Douglas county man's name is James Silvey. He resides just thirty miles from Atlanta and makes two walks into the city every week. He leaves home early in the morning, and reaches Atlanta before dinner, and then in the afternoon returns to his home in time for his supper. Last Saturday Silvey walked to town and watched the walking match until nearly four o'clock, when he set out for his home where he ate his supper before dark. While watching the walkers he said that any man who could not walk sixty miles in the twelve hours, ought not to call himself a walker. Silvey is a hard working man. He is just twenty-five years of age and is nearly six feet high, while his weight is nearly one hundred and forty pounds. He expressed himself as being exceedingly anxious to enter a match in Atlanta provided he could make any money by it. Yesterday an acquaintance of Silvey wrote him asking him to come down to Atlanta, promising to make a match for him. Silvey will probably bring his answer to the letter to-morrow. It is understood that Mr. E. W. Marsh will back Mr. Seel against Silvey and that a twelve hour go-as-you-please between the two gentlemen will be arranged foran early date.

All of the boys who were in the race Saturday were out yesterday. Mr. Seel arose at six o'clock and took a stroll out to Ponce de Leon. During the day he ran a two hundred-yard race and manifested no sign of weariness. Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Glass and the others were all at their posts yesterday.

A Bad Bugg.

A. G. Bugg, a tony negro, who lives in Brooklyn, was fined five dollars by the recorder yesterday morning. Sunday Bugg got drunk and after whipping his wife secured a stick and opened a matinee. He sat upon the floor and compelled his wife to put her big toe on a mark. When he gave the word she was required to jerk her toe back and he was permitted to strike at the same time. The play resulted in the loss of a toe nail to the woman and the loss of five dollars to the man.

Postal Matters.

The Postal Bulletin reports that the bond of Joseph R. Banks, postmaster of Forsyth, Monroe county, has been approved. It is for $8,000. Jonathan P. Dyar, of Adairsville, has given a $5,000 bond as postmaster at Adairsville, and Henry White has given a $500 bond as postmaster at Drone, Burke county. A postoffice has been re-established at King, in Echols county.

ATLANTA, May 26.—To my friends—I desire hereby to return my sincere thanks to my friends who so generously and kindly aided and supported me in the twelve hour go-as-you-please race Saturday last. FRANK MITCHELL.

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Notaries Public Appointed.

The following notaries public were commissioned for Habersham county by the governor yesterday: N. C. Wilcox, 752nd district; John W. Robertson, 414th district; Charles Pitner, 666th district; George W. McConnell, 1,021st district; John G. Crow, 977th district; W. A. Manley, 440th district; W. F. Sewell, 402nd district; John C. Cash, 371st district; Robert M. West, 409th district; M. F. Taylor, 422nd district; E. W. Sutlen, 401st district.

Willie Hemphill, as Daisy general, in Rebellion of Daisies to-night, is wonderful.

Walking Match.

A card from Seel, the successful man: During the contest on Saturday, I walked more than three-fourths of the time in a pair of McKeldin & Carlton's celebrated waukanphast shoes kindly furnished me by them, and I desire hereby to testify to their great superiority in regard to comfort, perfect fit and excellence of material.

A. SEEL.

Hose to keep lawns green at the Rubber Co., 26 Marietta street. 3

DeGive's opera house Friday night.

For every case of empty Pilsener bottles $2.50 are refunded.

Eskie Richmond, Queen of the Daises, sings her beautiful songs to-night.

An Ordinary Commissioned.

Yesterday Hampton L. Ferrill was commissioned by the governor to be ordinary of the county of Chatham.

Rebellion of The Daisies to-night.

Ed. Harden is splendid as Botanist, in Daisy Rebellion.

"The Call to Prayer."

In accordance with the call of Mrs. Sibley, our state president, in Sunday's CONSTITUTION, the ladies of the W. C. T. Union, are requested to meet at the Y. M. C. A. hall for devotional exercises, together with all who will join us in the services, this Tuesday evening, May 27th, from 3:30 to 5 o'clock, p. m.

MRS. E. C. WITTER, President.
MISS M. H. STOKES, Secretary.

Rebellion of Daisies to-night.

Hose Reels to preserve Hose and Pat. Sprinklers at the Rubber Store, 26 Marietta street. 3

Carter Colquitt, King of the Sunflowers, wins the admiration of all by his acting.

Drink the Southern Bottling Co.'s Pilsener Beer, the best in the market.

The Pat Calhoun Place

Will be sold at auction to-morrow at 4 p. m. Special car leaves carshed at 3:50 p. m. sharp. Free ride for all to the sale. Terms of sale one-third cash, balance in five annual installments with 8 per cent interest payable annually. SAM'L W. GOODE.

Rebellion of Daisies to-night.

A Connecticut jury gave John Nesbit $10 damages against the Branford lock works for an accident, which took off his only arm. He sued for $15,000.

As a Cure for Sore Throat and Coughs

"Brown's Bronchial Troches" have been thoroughly tested, and maintain their good reputation.

Everybody and their "uncles and their cousins and their aunts" will be at the walking match next Saturday.

Each case Pilsener contains 4 dozen pints or 2 dozen quart bottles.

Beautifully fitting suits made at Gay's custom department, 35 Whitehall.

Give your boy Smith's Worm Oil.

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Æsthetic Maidens to-night in Rebellion of the Daisies to-night.

The man, woman or child who fails to attend the walking match next Saturday will miss one of the events of the season.

Oscar Wilde, in Rebellion of Daises to-night.

Order Pilsener Beer at 3 Decatur street. Delivered free to any part of city.

The walking match next Saturday is already an assured success in point of the number who will be there. Over 500 tickets have already been sold.

Bertie Wolford, in all her loveliness to-night as Queen of the Sunflowers.

Friday night Professor Agostini's children will appear in magnificent dances.

The pamphlet decisions, September term, 1883, just published by this office. Copies sent postpaid upon receipt of One Dollar.

Pilsener Beer is brewed from the finest California hops, Canada malt, and pure spring water.

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Linen, Cotton and Rubber Hose, to reduce insurance risk in buildings, at the Rubber Co., 26 Marietta street.

Fine stock of imported woolens at Gay's, 35 Whitehall street.

They make stylish suits at Gay's, 35 Whitehall st[...]

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The daily arrival of new goods enables me to show as handsome and complete a line of stylish spring millinery as can be found in the city. My stock embraces hats and bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed, novelties in feathers, plumes, flowers, straw goods, laces, fine goods and general millinery. Call and see me at 45 Whitehall street.

MISS MARY RYAN.

Gay will move his entire stock to 35 Whitehall street the last of the week, and before doing so will sell wonderful bargains in clothing.

All Weakness of Genital Organs, Sexual Impotency, and nervous disorders permanently cured in thirty days, by the genuine Dr. Ricord's Restorative Pills. Bottles 50 cents. Pills $1.25, 100 pills $2.00, 200 pills $3.50, 400 pills $6.00. Magnus & Hightower, corner Pryor and Decatur streets, Atlanta. Wholesale by Lamar, Rankin and Lamar.

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Have received, and will be opening this week, the rarest novelties of the season.

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In full sets of all widths. All over embroideries, all over Egyptian laces, fresh new lot novelties in fans.

Ginghams, Chambreys.

NEW STYLES FOR THIS WEEK.

TABLE LINENS.

The cheapest goods ever seen in Atlanta will be put on sale Thursday.

WHITE GOODS.

Large invoices of new and desirable style white goods will be opened Monday. Real good white lawn five cents.

BLACK SILKS.

Another lot of our special make Black Silk. Everybody pleased with them. Also lot real Pacific lawns to be closed at six cents. Lot of French organdies to be closed at twenty cents.

CHAMBERLIN, JOHNSON & CO.

BUSINESS MEN!

Wearied from the labors of the day on going home find that they cannot have the desired and necessary rest, for the little darling is still suffering, and slowly and pitifully wasting away by the drainage upon its system from the effects of teething. If they would think to use Dr. Biggers' Southern Remedy, loss of sleep and bowel complaints would be unknown.

DR. BIGGERS'
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—FOR—
DIARRHOEA AND DYSENTERY.

CRAMPED FINANCIALLY

Has no speedy relief, but cramped in the bowels ha a sure one in the use of Dr. Biggers's Southern Remedy, the great specific for all bowel affections and an undoubted boon to parents who have been spending sleepless nights in nursing the little ones who had been gradually wasting away from the drainage upon its system from the effects of teething until given.

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Our Coffee is absolutely pure, not glazed or colored, and is selected from our large stock of Green Coffee, with special reference to its Drinking Qualities. Glazing and coloring Roasted Coffee adds to the weight and hides the imperfections, which is entirely against your interest as a consumer. Ask your Grocer for LEVERING'S COFFEE, and take no other.

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Several new lots just opened; real good; very cheap.
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Elegant stock; beautiful designs.
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Latest patterns and best quality in market.
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Have received large lot real good goods, at about price of very inferior qualities.
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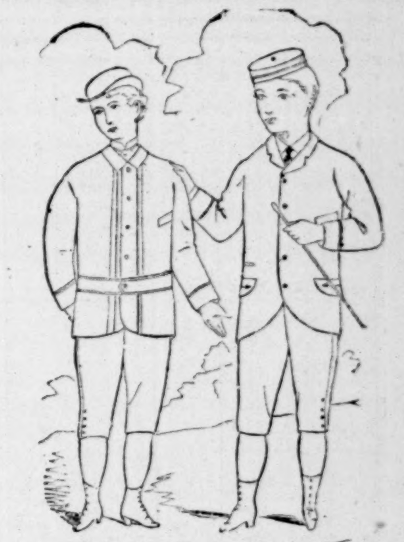

ALL THOSE IN WANT OF CLOTHING FOR men and boys are cordially and earnestly invited to examine our stock and prices before purchasing, as we are

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And mean business. We have, as usual, a full line of genuine French "Drape Dete" suits up to forty-six, same quality as kept by us for the last eighteen years. Also a full line of Alpaca and Cicilian Coats and Vests. Of those perfect fitting Drawers, we have all sizes from 22 to 48 waist. A call is respectfully solicited by

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ANGIER AND PONCE DE LEON SPRINGS
—AND—
EDGEWOOD DEPOT
AT AUCTION
WEDNESDAY, MAY 28TH, AT 4 P. M.

These twenty lots constitute the residence place of Mr. Pat Calhoun, and the twelve acres of Mr. Charles W. Fox, late of New Jersey, just opposite. They lie with angle between the Georgia and Air-Line railroads on a very high level ridge with fine views of Atlanta and of the country around. They are accessible by either of the railroads, will soon be reached by six fine drives, and have the prospect of a street car line connecting with the Gate City line at Angier spring, and running thence in front of them to Edgewood depot. The adjacent land is owned by Messrs. T. M. Clarke, Thomas E. Walker, W. S. Thomson, P. H. Snook, Professor Barili, Major Moreland, W. A. Hagood and Senator Colquitt, and they are all interested in forming here a community of families having such general culture as will make association mutually agreeable. The beautiful groves and green lawns fronting and surrounding the residences already erected and those soon to be built, intersected by lovely drives and walks, the pure water and fresh country air, the large health-giving playgrounds for children, these many and other attractions make this property very desirable and must quickly advance it in price. The spring, the railroads, the street cars, the drives, the summer resorts, Edgewood, Kirkwood, and Decatur all influenced by the property owners in these places, force the growth of Atlanta in the direction of the lots for sale and increase their value. What seems far out now will soon be near, in, and those purchasing now must soon realize increased prices should they wish to sell. Mr. Calhoun will reserve a residence lot for himself, and private sale has been made of about ten acres to a gentleman from Macon who will arrange his permanent home there this summer.

Plats will be ready for distribution at my office Friday of this week. I will show the property with pleasure between now and the 28th instant, as I am instructed to make private sale of any or all the lots.

Terms one-third cash, balance in six and twelve months, with 8 per cent interest. Special car leaves carshed in Atlanta on Georgia railroad at 2:50 p. m. sharp, Wednesday, 28th instant. Free ride for all.

SAM'L W. GOODE,
21 Marietta St., Corner Broad.

TAX NOTICE

TWO-THIRDS OF THE TIME ALLOWED BY law to make returns for state and county taxes has passed and not more than one-third of the tax payers have done so. Very few merchants and business men have given in. Hope they will do so in time to keep off the defaulters' list. I also think it proper and right to remind the good people of Fulton county that under a new registration law passed by the last legislature, that no one can vote, who fails to give in, and pay his state and county taxes.

J. O. HARRIS,
S. and C. Tax Receiver

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We will reduce our price of tuition during the summer months to accommodate ladies desirous of taking advantage of the school vacation. New Art Goods. Cool studio. Call and see specimens or send for circulars. Firing and gilding of China our specialty. Artists' requisites in great variety.
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COTTON AND WEATHER.

Cotton—Middling uplands closed in Liverpool yesterday at 6⅝; New York at 10⅞; in Atlanta at 11¼.

Daily Weather Report.

OBSERVER'S OFFICE SIGNAL CORPS, U. S. A.,
U. S. CUSTOM HOUSE, May 26, 10:30 P. M.

All observations taken at the same moment of time at each place named.

NAME OF STATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Dew Point.	WIND. Direction.	WIND. Force.	Rainfall.	Weather
Atlanta	29.84	76	64	W.	Light	.00	Clear.
Augusta	29.83	74	...	S.W.	Light	.00	Clear.
Key West	29.90	79	...	N.	Light	.00	Clear.
Savannah	29.82	77	...	S.	Light	.00	Clear.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Time of observation.							
6:31 a m	29.88	65	60	N W	Light	.00	Fair.
10:31 a m	29.91	74	66	N W	Light	.00	Clear.
3:31 p m	29.85	78	60	N W	Fresh	.00	Clear.
6:31 p m	29.82	78	62	W.	Light	.00	Fair.
10:31 p m	29.84	76	64	W.	Light	.00	Clear.

Mean daily bar........29.856 Maximum ther..........79.5
" " ther..... 73.8 Minimum ther..........61.0
" " hu'y... 66.7 Total rainfall.......... .00

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MEETINGS.

Gate City Guard---Attention.

A meeting of this company is ordered for this evening at 8 o'clock, in full dress uniform, preparatory to escorting the Governor's Horse Guard to the depot on to-morrow. Members are requested to come prepared to take their cross-belts and breast-plates.

A full dress parade is ordered at one o'clock p. m., on Wednesday. Cross-belts and breast-plates will then be worn.

By order of HENRY JACKSON, Captain Commanding.
E. W. REINHARDT, 1st Sergeant.

The Rebellion of the Daisies.

The very humorous and attractive operetta "The Rebellion of the Daisies," will be presented to night, (and not Friday night, as we stated Sunday) at DeGive's operahouse. Seeing a rehearsal of it, a rich treat can be promised. The Daisy General with his matchless eloquence, was inciting his followers to kill their cousin Sunflowers of gold, who were trying to sweep the Daisies from the field. They form a conspiracy in a beautiful chorus, tell of their intention to blow up the Sunflower King and his court with dynamite. The detectives discover their intentions and in tones of rich melody, delight the ear by their excellent rendition of Sullivan's "Policeman Chorus," from the "Pirates." They inform the Sunflower King of the murderous intentions of the Daisies, and he in an excellent piece of acting, implores his chief of police to protect him and his court.

But space is wanting to notice further this pretty operetta with its beautiful children, handsome young men and maidens, etc.; in fact it can only be enjoyed and appreciated by being seen. Let the opera house be crowded to-night, the entertainment deserves it. A large audience is due the ladies who will present it; so, too, the object, which is to aid in buying an organ for the First Methodist Episcopal church.

ALMOST A TRAGEDY.

A Reckless Drayman Overturns the Carriage of Mrs. Judge Strong.

Yesterday morning, as Mrs. Judge Strong, with her children, was driving into town in her carriage, the horses became frightened at an itinerant ice-cream shebang in front of Mr. W. R. Hill's residence, on Peachtree street. The horses began backing and the driver was attempting to control them, when a dray rattled up behind the carriage at a rapid pace. The carriage driver called to the drayman to stop, but that pretentious John did not heed him, and drove squarely into the wheels of the carriage, upsetting it into the road and throwing Mrs. Strong and her children into the street. Miss Strong was struck severely over the left eye and badly stunned and wounded, while Mrs. Strong and the younger child escaped with lesser bruises. They had a miraculous escape from sudden death. The dray driver was criminally negligent and did not seem to care for the consequences of his unlawful and wanton action. Unless there is more care and prudence shown by these gentry some one of them will yet take a tumble from a hangman's platform.

DAVID H. DOUGHERTY.
SPOT CASH.

Will have plenty of those beautiful cheap Chambrays this week,

George Post, King of the Daisies, hear him sing to-night with his Queen.

Mr. James W. Harle sold yesterday 50 shares of Exposition Cotton Mill stock at 100. This is the lowest figure this stock has reached for some time. The stock was worth a premium from the organization of the mill, selling as high as 125 before steam was turned on. This is undoubtedly a valuable property, and was built very economically, the cost per spindle including everything being only $21 per spindle. The last dividend was 4 per cent semi-annual, with $10,000 carried to reserve fund.

DAVID H. DOUGHERTY.
SPOT CASH.

Has a plenty of those cheap Chambrays this week.

Remember the Day,

Is June 4th next, the hour 4. m., for Sam'l W. Goode's auction sale on Decatur street and the Boulevard.

Hear the Policeman's Chorus to-night in Rebellion of the Daisies.

Beautiful Twelve Acres

Called the "Fox Tract" opposite the Pat Calhoun place at auction to-morrow at 4 p. m. Special car on Georgia railroad at 3:50 p. m. sharp. Free ride. SAM'L W. GOODE.

The ball opened and is rolling on. The first melons of the season received by Elam Johnson, Son & Co. Sold for one dollar each. Let 'em come.

Special Business Notices.

A CARD.--To all who are suffering from errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send self addressed envelope to REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York.

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25 to 30 per cent discount if cash accompanies the order.

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If you desire any article in this line that is first-class, call at or send your order to Mr. F. L. Freyer, No 27 Whitehall street, Atlanta, Ga.

PERSONAL.

Dr. J. P. Huntley, dentist, sixty-one Wheat.

Dr. Gaston occupies the office vacated by Dr. Calhoun, No. 38 1-2 S. Broad street.

J. S. Hunter, of Toccoa, Ga., is spending a few days in the city.

Misses Lucy and Carrie Gartrell, of this city, are visiting relatives and friends in Macon.

Best Dairy Farm

About Atlanta paying $150 net a month. Cows and dairy outfit and business on easy terms and very cheap. For sale with fruits and crop and truck. SAM'L W. GOODE.

Gay does what he advertises. You'll find his clothing cheap.

DAVID H. DOUGHERTY.
SPOT CASH.

Is showing special inducements in Silks and Cashmeres.

A gentleman yesterday offered to bet one thousand dollars that the time made by Seel would be beaten at the walking match of the court house boys Saturday next.

Extraordinary bargains in clothing for one week at Gay's, 37 Peachtree.

D. H. DOUGHERTY.
SPOT CASH.

We are going to arouse the community for a while on black silks and black and colored cashmeres. Don't lose any time if you want goods cheap.

Friday night the Wicked Queen.

DAVID H. DOUGHERTY
SPOT CASH.

We have started another boom in White Dress Shirts. This department is one of our favorites, made so by showing the best Shirts for the money to be found in the market.

Friday night the Grotesque Dwarfs.

Terms of Sale Liberal,

One-third cash, balance within 5 years, 8 per cent interest to be paid annually for the Pat Calhoun Place to be sold at auction to-morrow by SAM'L W. GOODE.

D. H. DOUGHERTY.
SPOT CASH.

Another big lot of those beautiful white lawns in. We are selling them four cents under the market.

Alpaca Coats, Sicilian Coats, Creole suits, and Seersucker suits from the cheapest to the best quality at Gay's, 37 Peachtree street.

D. H. DOUGHERTY.
SPOT CASH.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—TO THE SUPERIOR court of said county.—The petition of L. P. Grant, W. P. Inman, George W. Parrott, J. R. Wyly, John Stephens, James F. Burke, E. P. McBurney, B. J. Wilson, T. J. Hightower, A. P. Woodward, J. W. English, Thomas N. Chase, Jacob Haas, R. B. Bullock, Jacob Elsas, H. I. Kimball, J. C. Bridger, C. J. Simmons, C. W. Francis, L. DeGive, W. E. Ragan, W. D. Luckie, L. Gholstin, Jack W. Johnson, B. E. Crane, T. R. Langston and H. H. Cabaniss, all of said county of Fulton, respectfully shows that they desire to be created a body corporate, and politic, and that they and their associates and successors, may have continuous existence as a corporation for twenty years (with the privilege of removal as provided by law), under and by the corporate name of the "West View Cemetery Association." The object of their association is to establish a cemetery for the interment of the dead of the city of Atlanta and vicinity, and with this view to purchase a tract or tracts of land, suitably located, to lay out, plat, beautify, and to improve the same, and to sell lots of such size as may be desirable; and the business to be carried on by the corporation, is such as may be necessary or proper to accomplish the same. The capital stock of the corporation to be one hundred thousand dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same to any amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars; such original and any increased capital stock to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and ten per cent of the original capital to be paid in before the corporation commences to do business. The place of business of the corporation to be in Fulton county, with an office, if necessary, in the city of Atlanta.

Petitioners desire for said corporation, power and authority to sue and be sued; to plead and be impleaded; to have and use a common seal, and to alter the same at pleasure, to make all contracts of every kind necessary or proper to inaugurate and carry on the business, including power to execute promissory notes and bonds, and to secure the same by mortgage, or deed of trust, on any property of the corporation; to buy, own and sell such property, both real and personal, as it may need for its purposes; to adopt such by-laws, rules and regulations, as may be proper, and to provide in the by-laws for such officers of the corporation as it may need, and to fix terms and dates, and the manner and time of their election; to receive real or personal property at a fair valuation in payment of stock subscriptions, and to do such other and further acts as are allowed by law, and as are necessary or proper to commence and carry on the business named. Stockholders who have paid their stock subscriptions in full, to be in no way liable for the debts of the corporation, or for wrongs committed by it. Petitioners ask for such action by the court, as is necessary in the premises, and as in duty bound will ever pray, etc.

WM. T. NEWMAN, Petitioners Attorney.
Filed in office, this May 26th, 1884.
C. H. STRONG, C. S. C.

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Administratrix's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER FROM THE COURT of ordinary of Fayette county, will be sold on the premises in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday in June next, in the legal hours of sale, the following described property, to-wit: Twelve acres more or less of land, of lot of land No. 110, in Cook's district of Fulton county, Georgia. Sold as the property of E. W. Leach, deceased, for the purpose of paying the debts and making distribution among the heirs of said deceased. Terms cash. Thursday May 6th, 1884. MARY A. LEACH, Administratrix, &c.

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G. W. ADAIR.

GEORGE W. ADAIR........................AUCTIONEER.

Administrators' Sale.

WILL BE SOLD BEFORE THE COURT HOUSE door of Fulton county, Georgia, within the legal hours of sale, on the first Tuesday in June, 1884, by virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of said county, the following property, to-wit: One Brick House and lot in the city of Atlanta, known as number 35, on North Pryor street, said lot extending back to Porter street. Sold as the property of the estate of James F. Cooper, deceased, and for the purpose of distribution among the heirs at law. Terms cash.

JOHN T. COOPER, Administrator

TO THE CREDITORS OF MR. JOHN H. JAMES.

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I. W. AVERY,
ANTHONY MURPHY,
A. H. COX,
Sub-Committee.

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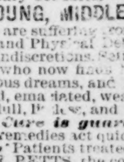

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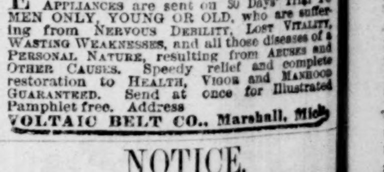

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VOLUMEE XVI.

BROWN ON MORMONISM.

THE UTAH BILL TAKEN UP IN THE SENATE.

Prostitution in New England Should be Punished as well as Polygamy in Utah—The Danville Report Presented—McKinly Unseated—Senator Hoar's Reply to Brown, Etc., Etc.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—[Special.]—Senator Brown's speech on the Mormon bill to-day created a decided sensation. He had prepared himself with sure fortifications for his propositions, and made a most thorough exposure of the weakness of the bill.

After frequent interruptions of applause, Mr. Turner had a perfect ovation in the house this afternoon at the conclusion of his speech for Mr. Wallace. He never appeared to better advantage. His reply to Mr. Ranney, of Massachusetts, who ranks as the ablest lawyer on the republican side, can only be characterized as annihilating. As Hardeman said, while hearing Turner,

"Old Brooks ought to be proud of her man this day."

COPIAH AND DANVILLE.

Presentation of Reports--Senators Brown and Hoar on Mormonism.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania, appeared in his place in the senate this morning, and groups of senators congratulated him on his safe return and improved health. Among the petitions presented was one by Mr. Call from citizens of Key West, Fla., praying for an official inquiry into the conduct of Collector Wickers, and asserting their entire confidence that such inquiry will result in a full vindication of Wickers.

Mr. Hill submitted the report of the committee on postoffices and post roads, on the subject of the postal telegraph bill, relating to which has heretofore been reported from that committee.

THE DANVILLE REPORT.

Mr. Lapham submitted the report of the committee on privileges and elections on the Danville investigation.

Mr. Vance said he would need this week to prepare the minority report.

Mr. Saulsbury submitted the minority report on the Copiah county investigation.

The Danville report was prepared by Senator Lapham. It embodies an exhaustive analysis of the testimony of nearly 200 witnesses, the observations and conclusions of the committee thereon, being distributed throughout the document. It appears from the evidence, the report says, that during the control of the affairs of the state by the democrats or funder party, a constitutional amendment had been adopted in 1876, imposing the payment of a capitation tax of one dollar as a pre-requisite to the right to vote, and a law had been enacted establishing the whipping post as a punishment for minor offenses, persons subject by law to such punishment for certain offenses being disfranchised. The readjuster party having gained the ascendency, amended the constitution; abolished the capitation tax and the whipping post, and for the first time in the history of the state, since the amendment of 1876 was adopted, suffrage at the election in November, 1883, was to be free from such restrictions. Accordingly the democratic party, early in the canvass of last year, renewed its efforts which had before been made to some extent, to intensify and excite the race issue in the contest. This was deemed necessary from the fact that the white voters in the state had left their former political associations in such numbers as enabled them, with the aid of the colored voters, to secure a majority in the state and elect the officers of their choice. Without such division of the white votes, success in the state by the coalitionists would have been impossible, as by the census of 1880 the colored voting population in Virginia was only 128,257, while that of the whites was 206,048. While there was no motion, therefore, on the part of the coalition party to excite the race issue, which would inevitably have the effect to alienate the support of the white voters, there was every inducement on the part of the democrats to raise and intensify that issue with the view of recovering the votes of those among the white people who had been supporting the coalition party. The committee here quotes extracts from democratic papers and circulars, illustrating the efforts which it assumes were made to raise and intensify the race issue. The report then deals directly with the Danville riot, claiming that it was premeditated by the whites. Similar recommendations to reduce the representation of states in which suffrage is terrorized, to those in the Copiah report are made.

They quote from the testimony taken by the committee in support of the position taken by them (the minority) that the people of Copiah county are as law abiding as those of any other community, and add that while there are in that county, as in other communities, persons unmindful of their duties as citizens, and reckless alike of their own interests and of the rights of others, they (the minority) "do not hesitate to say that the per centage of such persons is not in excess of that in most other localities, and far less than obtains in many other places. Coming to the remedies proposed by the majority, the publication of the testimony, the passage of the Edmunds bill and an investigation into the conduct of the next election in Mississippi, the minority say that it is a threat to disfranchise the people of the state of Mississippi in the coming presidential election, made with a view to deterring the citizens of that state from casting its electoral vote contrary to the party in power and that "a more flagant and abhorent attempt to bulldoze an entire state by threatening to disfranchise its people and to destroy its autonomy can't be found in the annals of constitutional government. In conclusion the minority say that the duty of the undersigned is, perhaps, discharged by exposing the animus of the recommendation, but they feel justified in saying that they little understand the spirit or temper of the American people, who supposes that they will again submit to the defeat of their will in the choice of president, as was in the case in 1877. Neither an electoral commission nor armed soldiers around the capitol will prevent the installation in the presidential office of the man elevated to that position by the votes of his countrymen.

THE MINORITY COPIAH REPORT.

The minority report on the Copiah investigation is signed by Senators Saulsbury, Jones, Vance and Pugh. It starts out with the assertion that the minority dissent entirely from the statements and conclusions contained in the report of the majority and present their own views of affairs in Copiah county, formed from the testimony of reputable witnesses examined by the committee. They say they would gladly, if they could, exonerate this investigation from the taint or suspicion of partisan purpose and design, but that justice to truth and candor compel them to declare their convictions that it was originated and conducted for the purpose of aiding the republican party in the approaching presidential canvass by reviving the stories of outrage and crime which, they say, were so effectually used in former political campaigns, and perhaps, they add, to furnish an excuse if necessary, for rejecting the vote of Mississippi in the electoral college, and thereby defeating, as was done in 1876, the clearly expressed will of the American people in the choice of a president. They say they are fully aware of the responsibility they assume in making these statements, and assert that they are made from convictions forced upon them at every step in the inquiry. Referring to the origin of the